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I HAVE YOU NOW, **BOOMER**.

I'VE SHORTED OUT YOUR ROBOT-SUIT...THING...AND MADE IT USELESS. NOW YOU WILL NEVER BETRAY THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS!

YOU NEED TO GET YOUR FACTS STRAIGHT. FIRST, I'D *NEVER* BETRAY MY FRIENDS!

FAMILY MATTERS

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**ROTOR
WALRUS**
"RETIRED"
FREEDOM FIGHTER

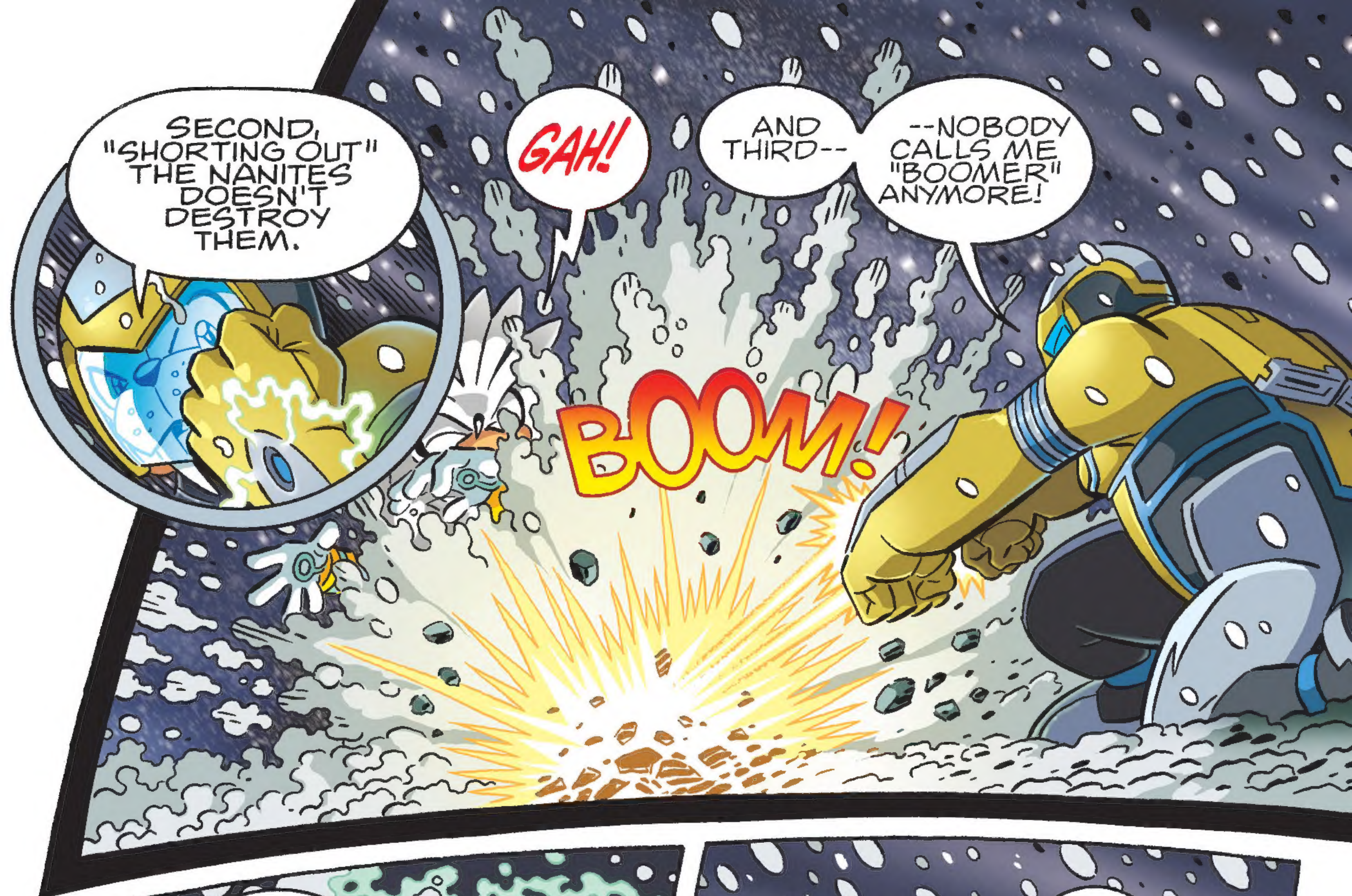
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AUGUSTUS, FLIP, GUNTIVER
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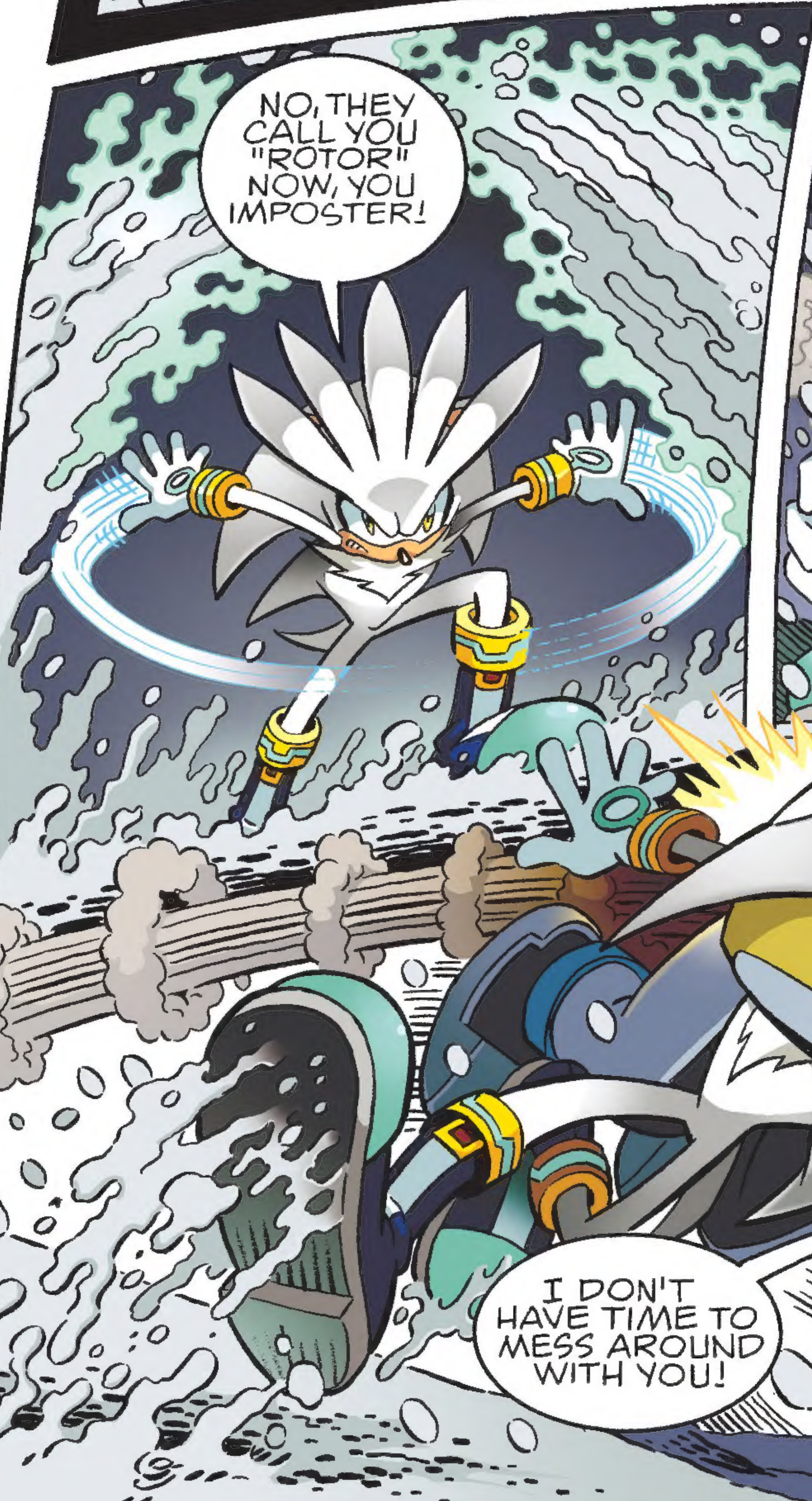
SECOND, "SHORTING OUT" THE NANITES DOESN'T DESTROY THEM.

GAH!

AND THIRD--

--NOBODY CALLS ME "BOOMER" ANYMORE!

BOOM!!



NO, THEY CALL YOU "ROTOR" NOW, YOU IMPOSTER!

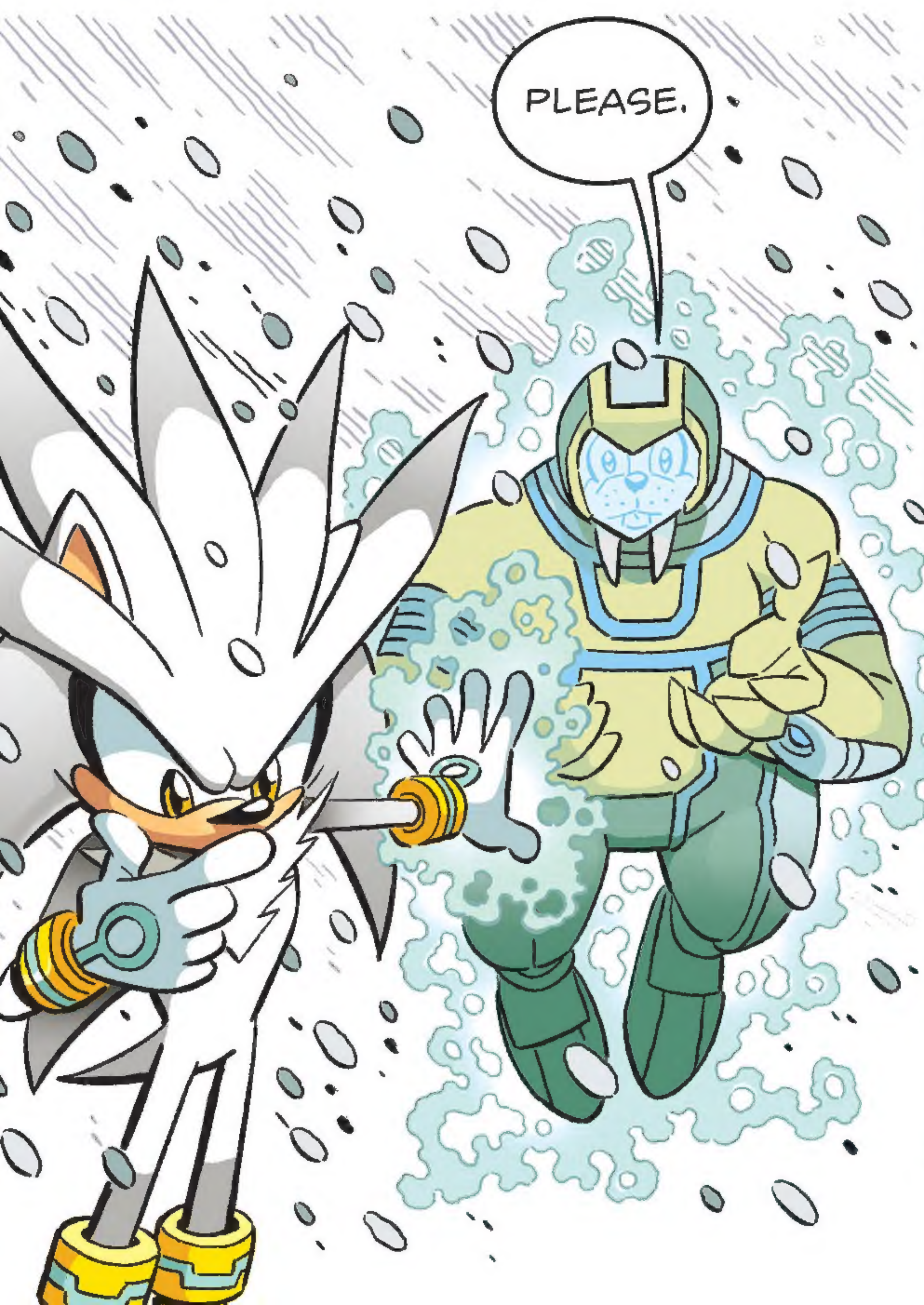
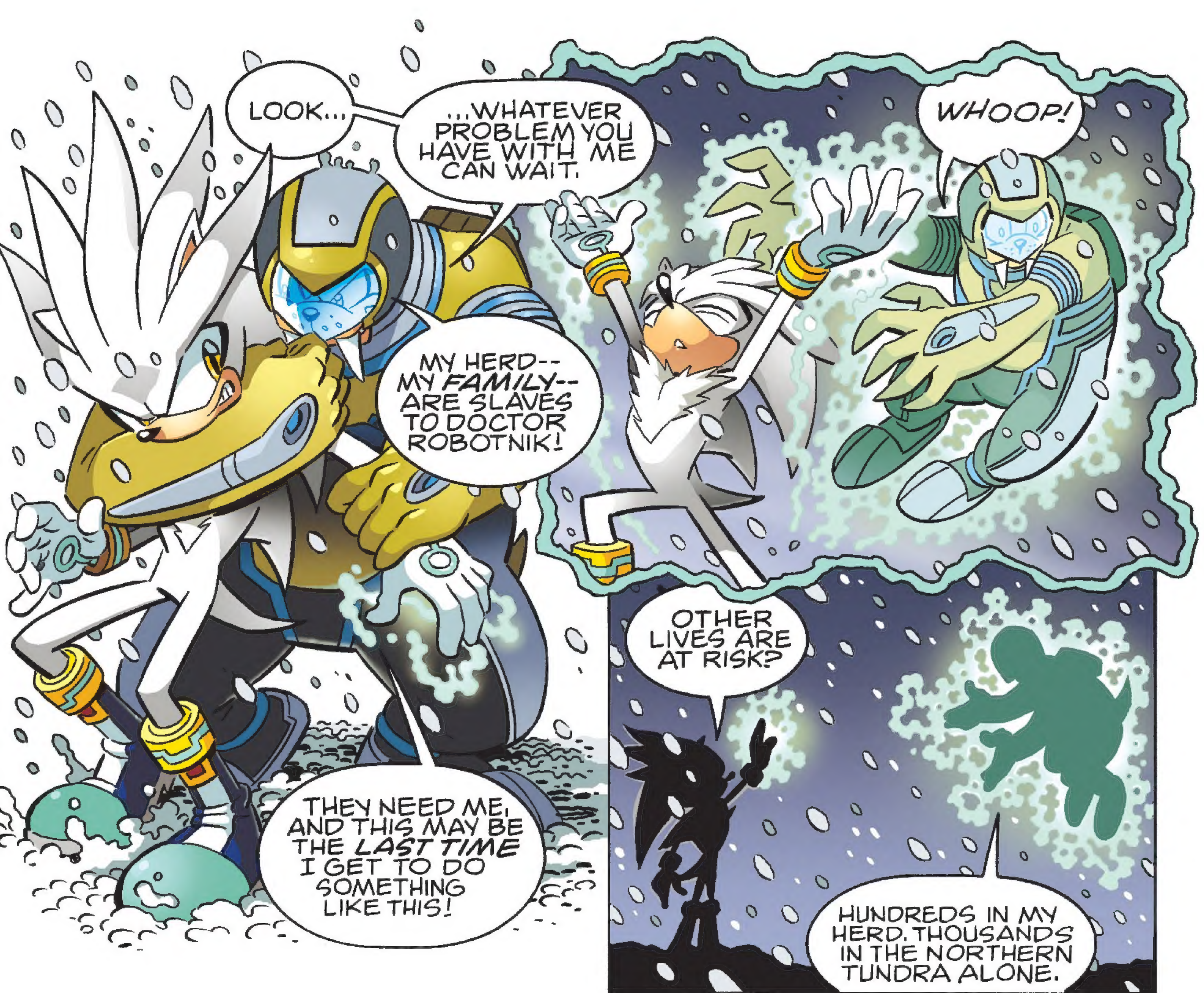


YOU...AREN'T THERE ANY-MORE?



ACK!

I DON'T HAVE TIME TO MESS AROUND WITH YOU!



"SONIC'S IN FOR A SURPRISE."

"SONIC?!"

OKAY, JUST TO MAKE SURE I'VE GOT THIS STRAIGHT--THE LOCAL DARK EGG LEGION IS USING THIS SPECIAL WAVE-THING--

--TO SEND A BRAIN-WASHING SIGNAL?

RIGHT.

"...AND THAT BASE THERE IS BOOSTING THAT SIGNAL A FEW BAJILLION TIMES?"

"HEH, ROUGHLY, YEAH."

AND THERE'S JUST AS MUCH TOWER UNDERWATER THAT'LL NEED TO BE TAKEN OUT TOO, RIGHT?

YOU GOT IT, CHAMP.

OKAY, COOL.

NOW THE ARMY OF ZOMBIE-WALRUSES MAKES PERFECT SENSE.



BZZZZZ!



THIS IS IT, SEALIA!

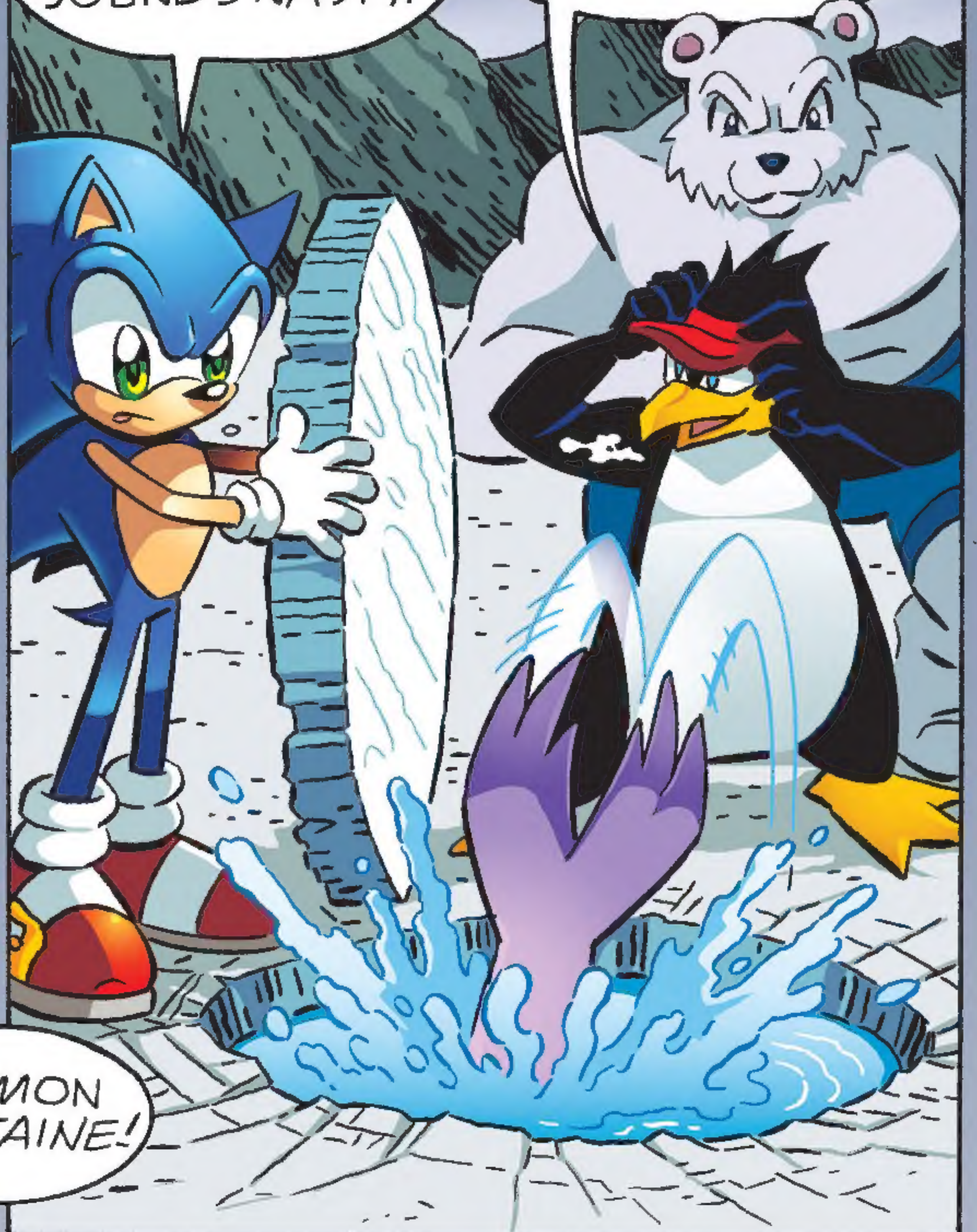
YOU AND YOUR TEAM WILL TAKE CARE OF THE UNDER-WATER TOWER.



OUI, MON CAPITAINE!

CAREFUL DOWN THERE, GUYS. YOUR BRAND OF DARK EGG LEGIONNAIRES SOUNDS NASTY.

MEH, THEY'RE JUST ORCAS. WHAT'S SO SCARY ABOUT "KILLER WHALES"?



I LIKE THEIR STYLE.

WE'VE GOT A GOOD GROUP OF FOLKS.

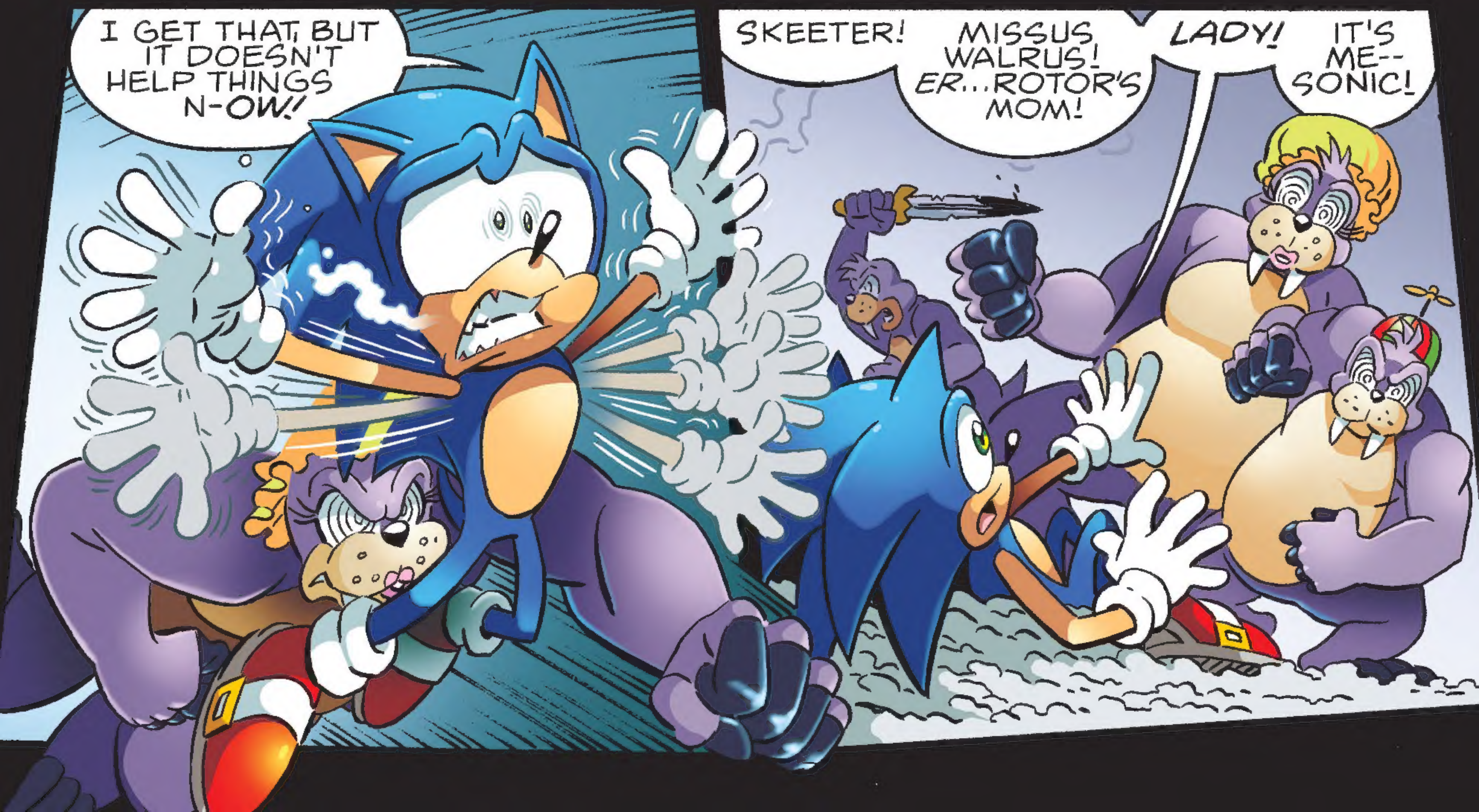
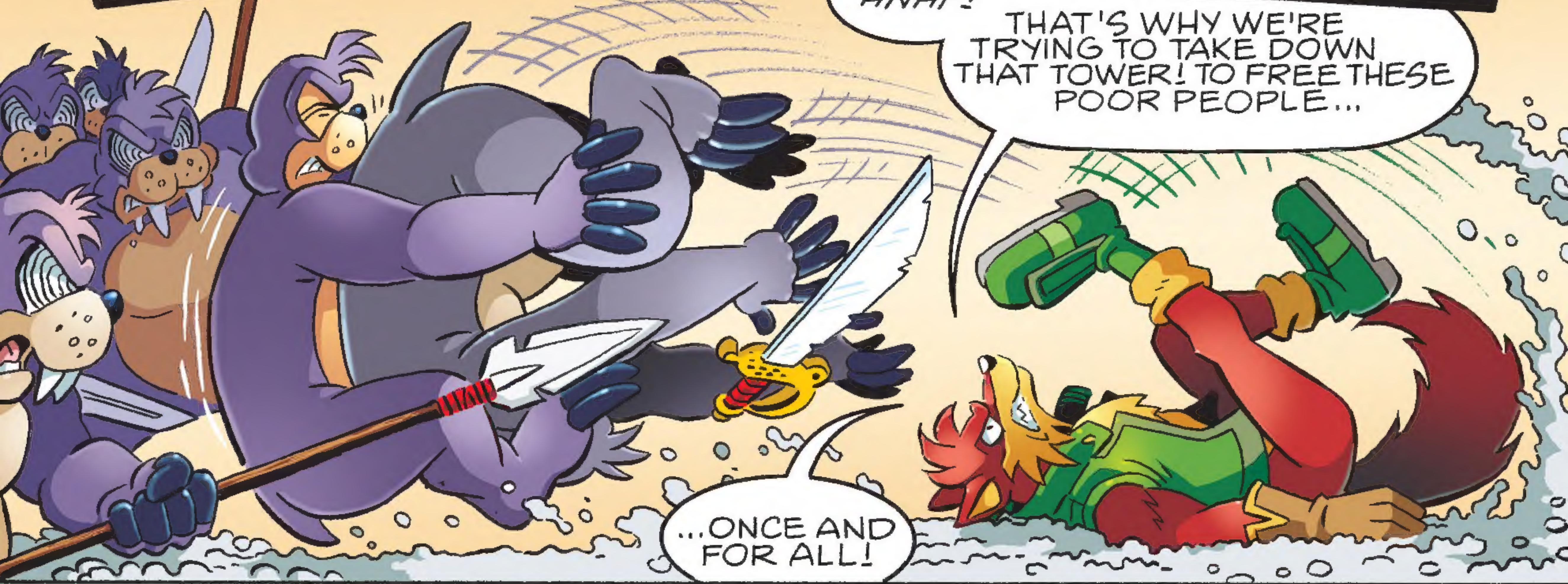
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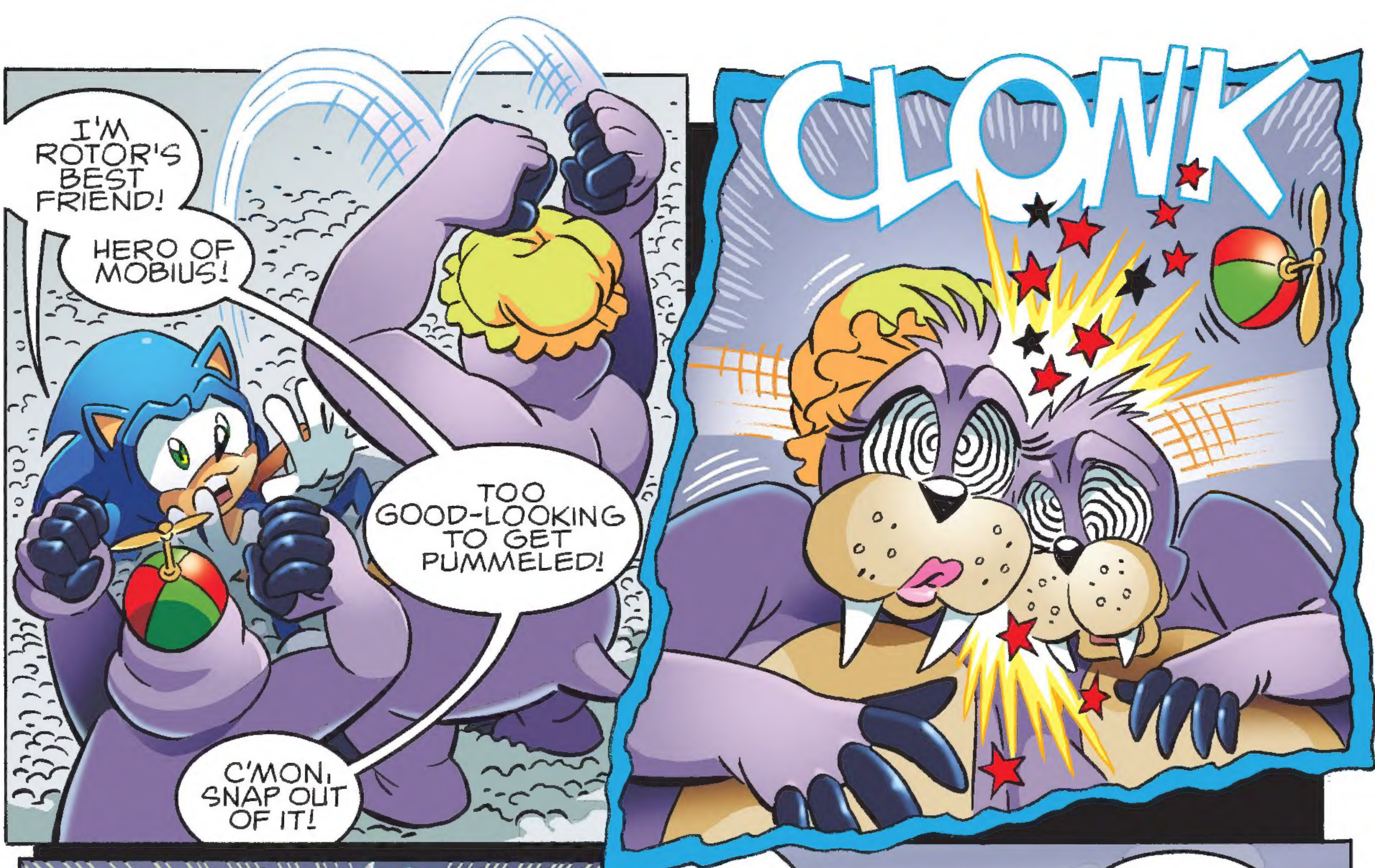
YEAH!



TIME TO DO THAT HERO THANG!







MEANWHILE...

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I WAS
SAYING--

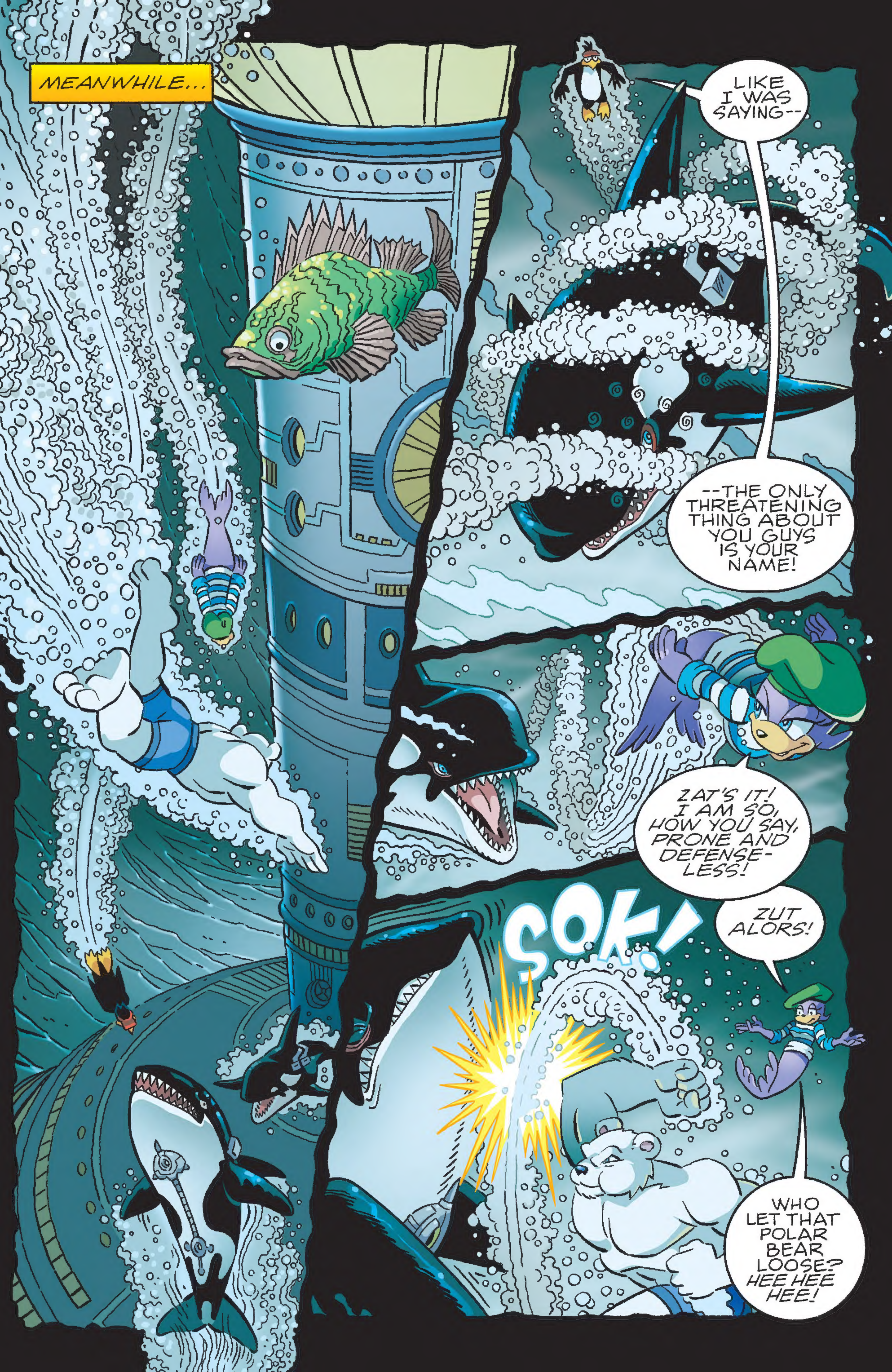
--THE ONLY
THREATENING
THING ABOUT
YOU GUYS
IS YOUR
NAME!

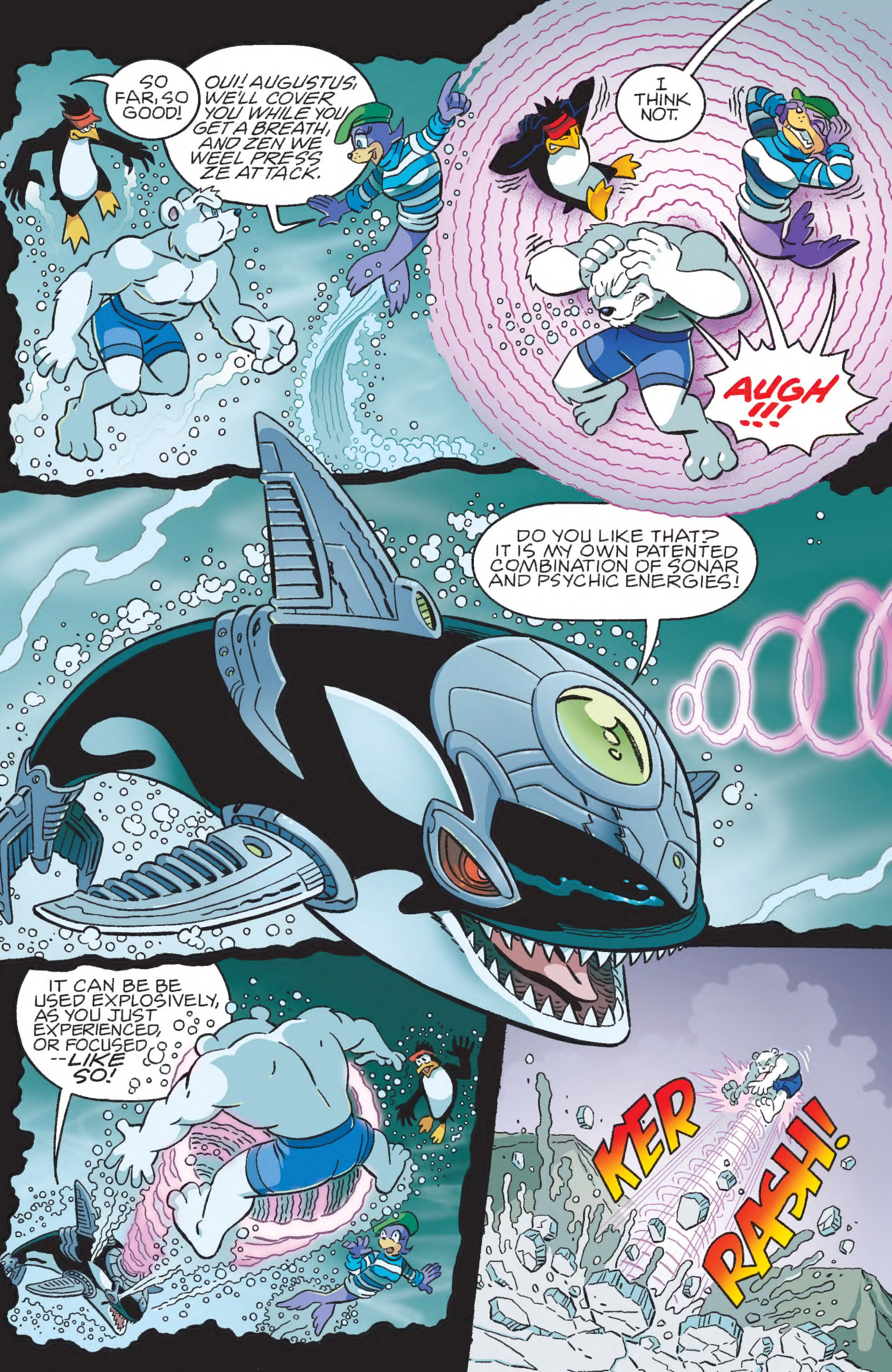
ZAT'S IT!
I AM SO,
HOW YOU SAY,
PRONE AND
DEFENSE-
LESS!

ZUT
ALORS!

WHO
LET THAT
POLAR
BEAR
LOOSE?
HEE HEE
HEE!

SOK!





SO FAR, SO GOOD!

OUI! AUGUSTUS, WE'LL COVER YOU WHILE YOU GET A BREATH, AND ZEN WE WEEL PRESS ZE ATTACK.

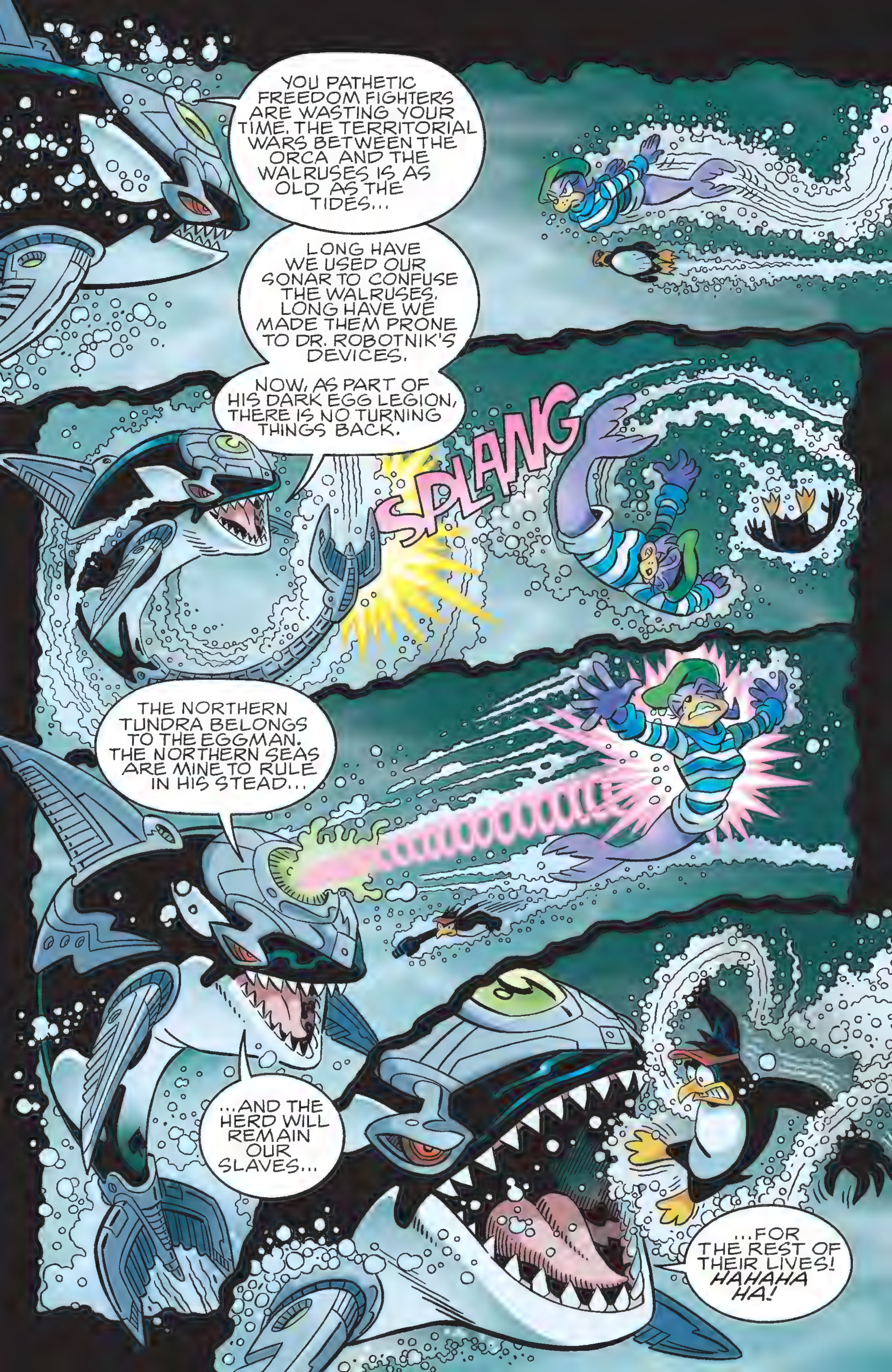
I THINK NOT.

AUGH!!!

DO YOU LIKE THAT? IT IS MY OWN PATENTED COMBINATION OF SONAR AND PSYCHIC ENERGIES!

IT CAN BE BE USED EXPLOSIVELY, AS YOU JUST EXPERIENCED, OR FOCUSED, --LIKE SO!

KER
RASH!



YOU PATHETIC
FREEDOM FIGHTERS
ARE WASTING YOUR
TIME. THE TERRITORIAL
WARS BETWEEN THE
ORCA AND THE
WALRUSES IS AS
OLD AS THE
TIDES...

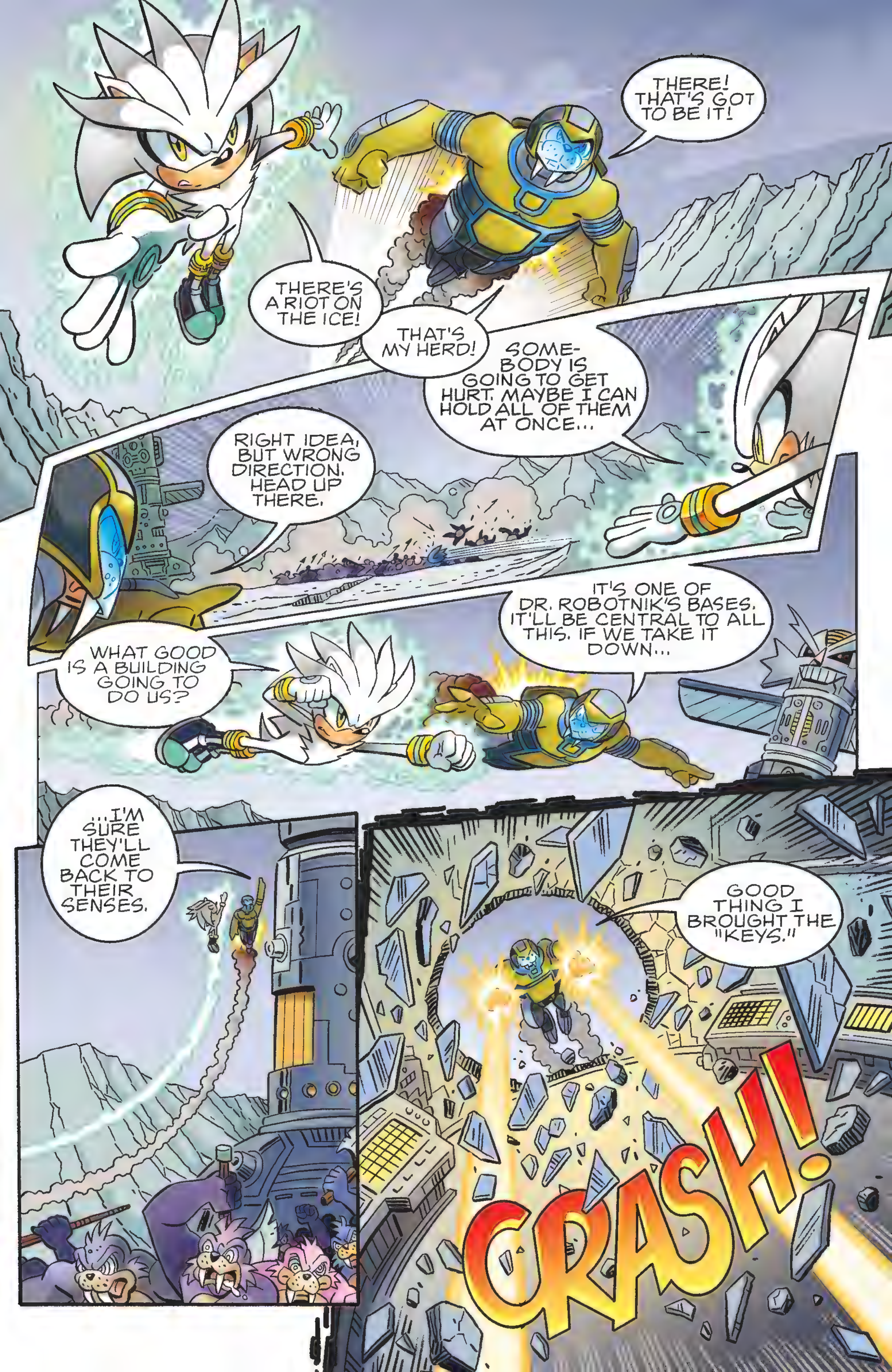
LONG HAVE
WE USED OUR
SONAR TO CONFUSE
THE WALRUSES.
LONG HAVE WE
MADE THEM PRONE
TO DR. ROBOTNIK'S
DEVICES.

NOW, AS PART OF
HIS DARK EGG LEGION,
THERE IS NO TURNING
THINGS BACK.

THE NORTHERN
TUNDRA BELONGS
TO THE EGGMAN.
THE NORTHERN SEAS
ARE MINE TO RULE
IN HIS STEAD...

...AND THE
HERD WILL
REMAIN
OUR
SLAVES...

...FOR
THE REST OF
THEIR LIVES!
HAHAHA
HA!



THERE!
THAT'S GOT
TO BE IT!

THERE'S
A RIOT ON
THE ICE!

THAT'S
MY HERD!

SOME-
BODY IS
GOING TO GET
HURT. MAYBE I CAN
HOLD ALL OF THEM
AT ONCE...

RIGHT IDEA,
BUT WRONG
DIRECTION.
HEAD UP
THERE.

WHAT GOOD
IS A BUILDING
GOING TO
DO US?

IT'S ONE OF
DR. ROBOTNIK'S BASES.
IT'LL BE CENTRAL TO ALL
THIS. IF WE TAKE IT
DOWN...

...I'M
SURE
THEY'LL
COME
BACK TO
THEIR
SENSES.

GOOD
THING I
BROUGHT THE
"KEYS."

CRASH!

IT LOOKS LIKE IT'S
RUNNING ON THE
STANDARD EggOS SYSTEM.
I CAN HACK THIS IN MERE
MINUTES-- BUT TO DO
...WHAT?

IS THIS
IMPORTANT?

LET ME
PULL UP
ITS FILE...
YES! YES-
YES-YES!

...WHAT?

IT'S...
...A NEURAL
INTERFACE
FOR DIRECT
MENTAL
CONTROL!

UH...

...MEANING?

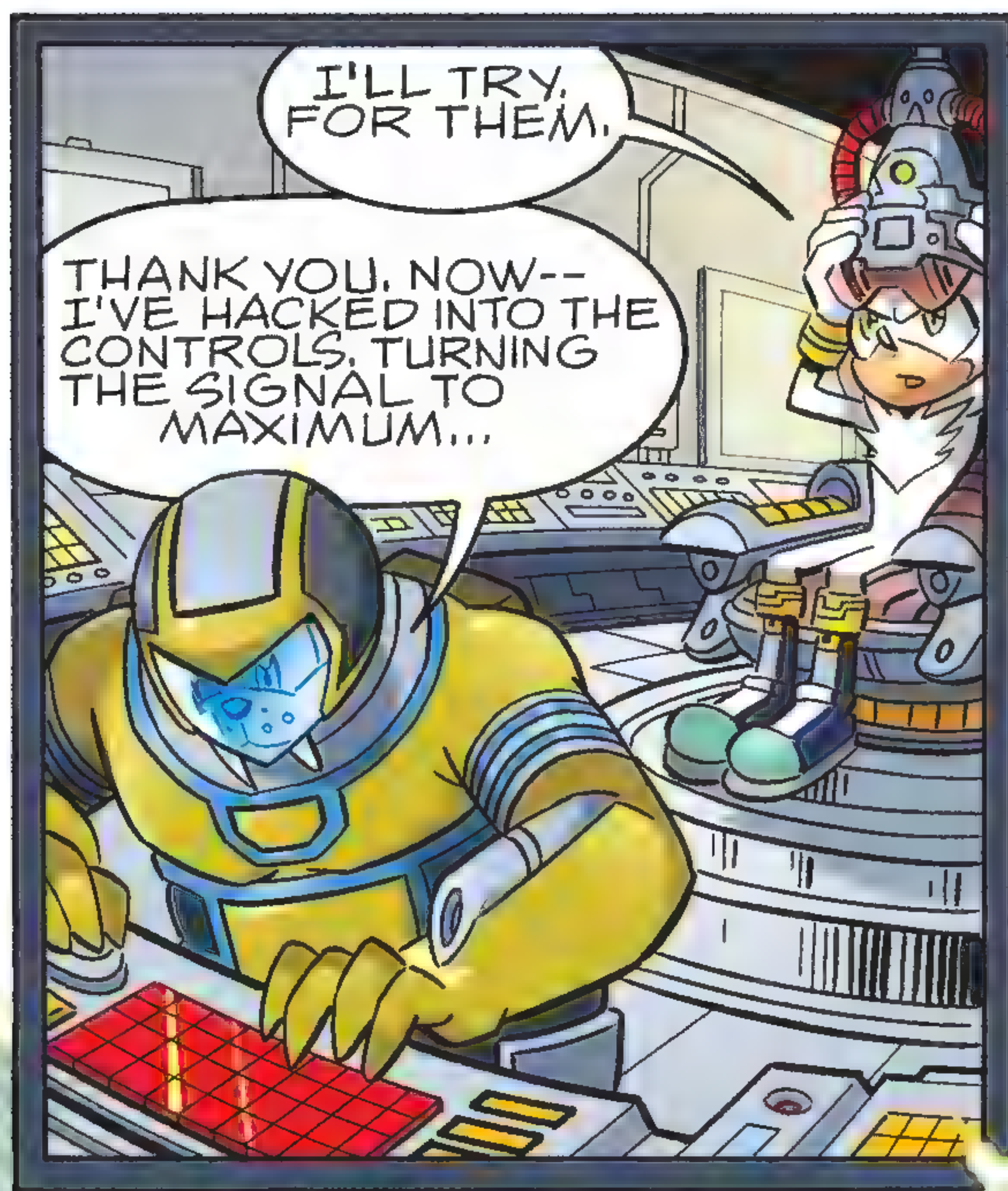
ROBOTNIK
COULD USE THIS TO
CONTROL THE HERD
WITH HIS OWN MIND!
IT'S SICK, BUT THAT
MEANS WE CAN
REACH EVERYONE
WITH ONE FELL
SWOOP!

AND
YOU'RE A
PSYCHIC!

WELL...
YEAH.
BUT MY
POWERS ARE MOSTLY
TELEKINETIC. I'M NOT
MUCH OF A TELEPATH,
I MEAN...

...I CAN GIVE
SOMEBODY A
HEADACHE, BUT...

EGGMAN HAS NO
PSYCHIC POWERS,
AND IT WOULD WORK
FOR *HIM*. DO YOU
WANT TO HELP
EVERYONE OR NOT?



YOU BACK WITH US, BUDDY?

...ALL I REMEMBER IS EAR-SPLITTING WHALE SONGS...

WELL, AT LEAST YOU'RE NOT TRYING TO, Y'KNOW...

...BASH MY HEAD IN ANYMORE.

WHA-

BOOM!!

THAT MUST HAVE BEEN...

...THE UNDER-TOWER!

THE OTHERS DID IT!

AND I THINK I KNOW...

...WHO WE HAVE TO THANK FOR IT ALL.

HEH HEH...HI, EVERYBODY, SONIC, YOU KNOW SILVER, RIGHT?

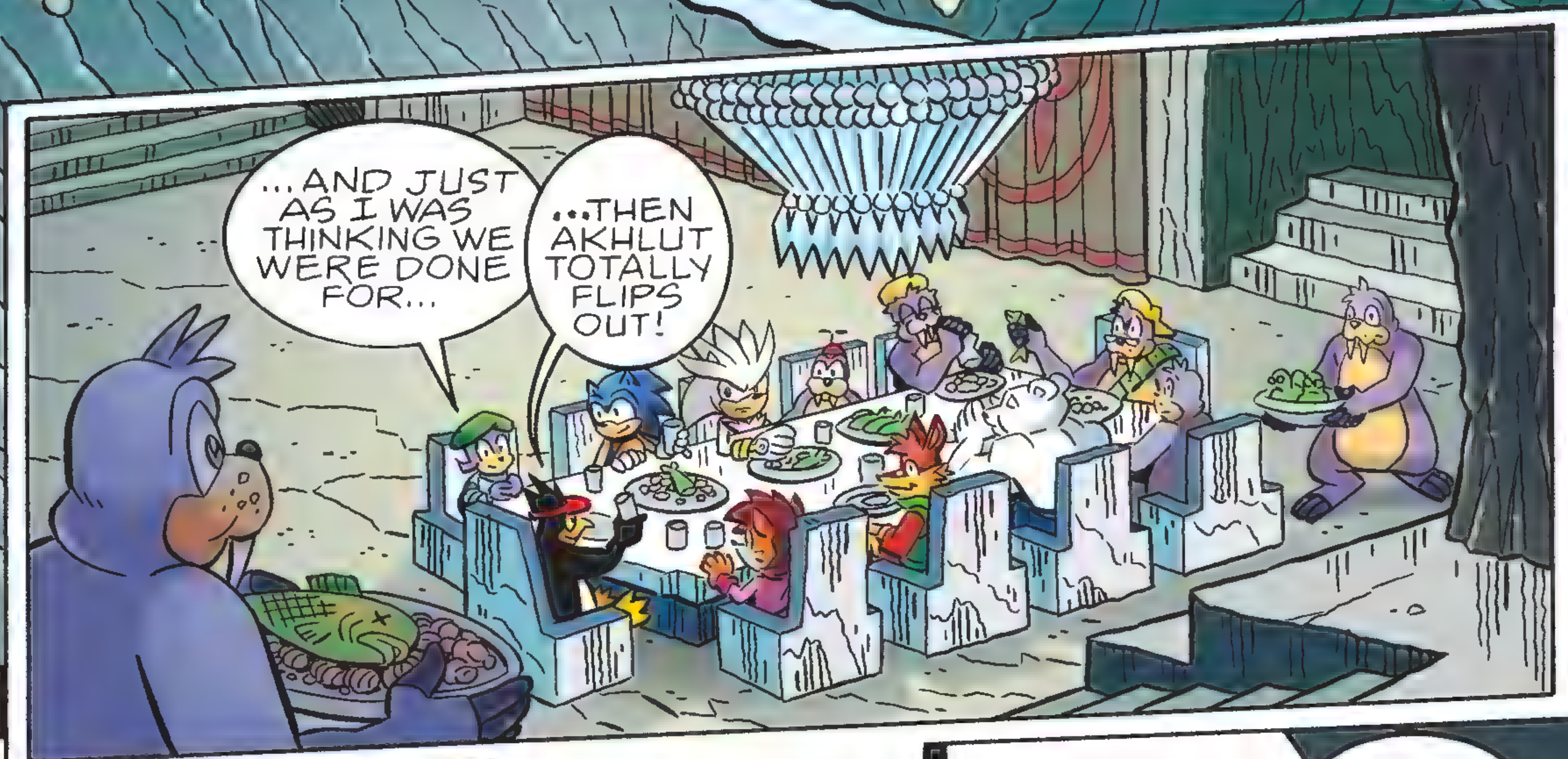
WE'VE MET.

WHAT HAPPENED TO "I BELONG ON THE COUNCIL, I DON'T ADVENTURE ANYMORE, WAH-WAH-WAH"?

EH, LONG STORY.

LET'S JUST KEEP IT BETWEEN US, OKAY?

LATER, IN
ICEBOROUGH...



...AND JUST
AS I WAS
THINKING WE
WERE DONE
FOR...

...THEN
AKHLUT
TOTALLY
FLIPS
OUT!

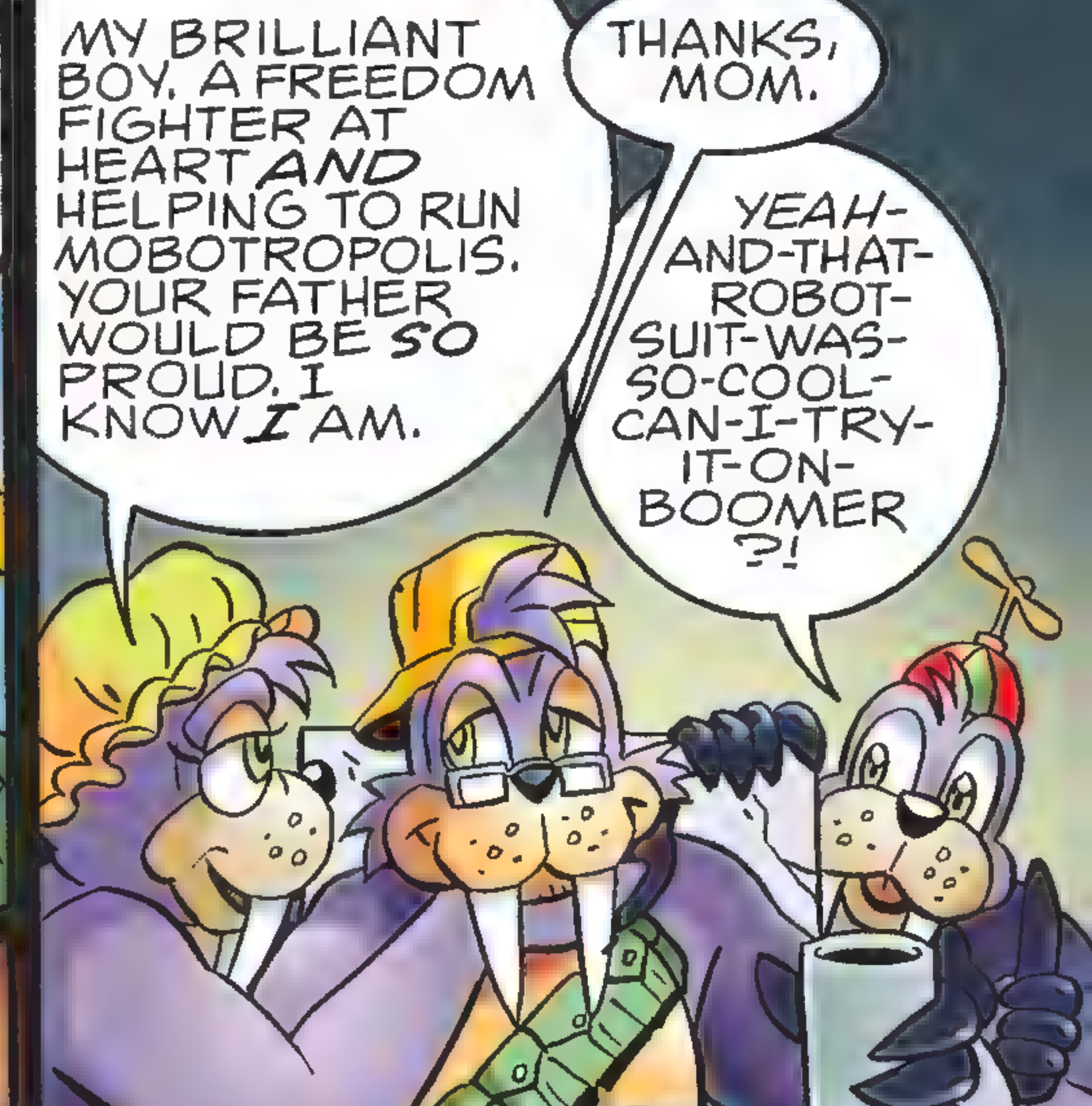
THE WHOLE LEGION
CHAPTER SWAM OFF,
RUNNING INTO EACH
OTHER THE WHOLE
TIME. I DON'T THINK
THEY KNEW WHICH
WAY WAS UP.

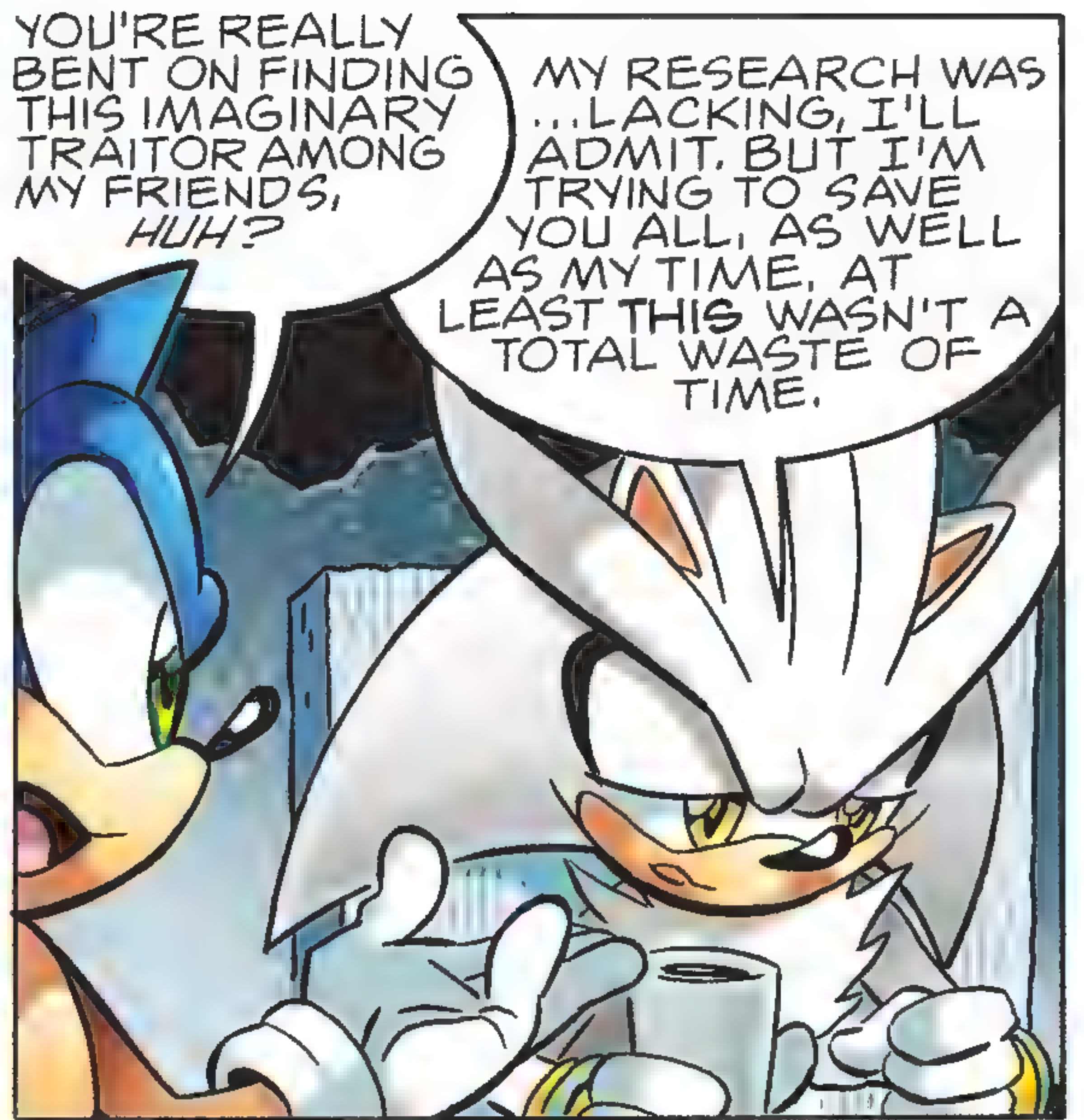
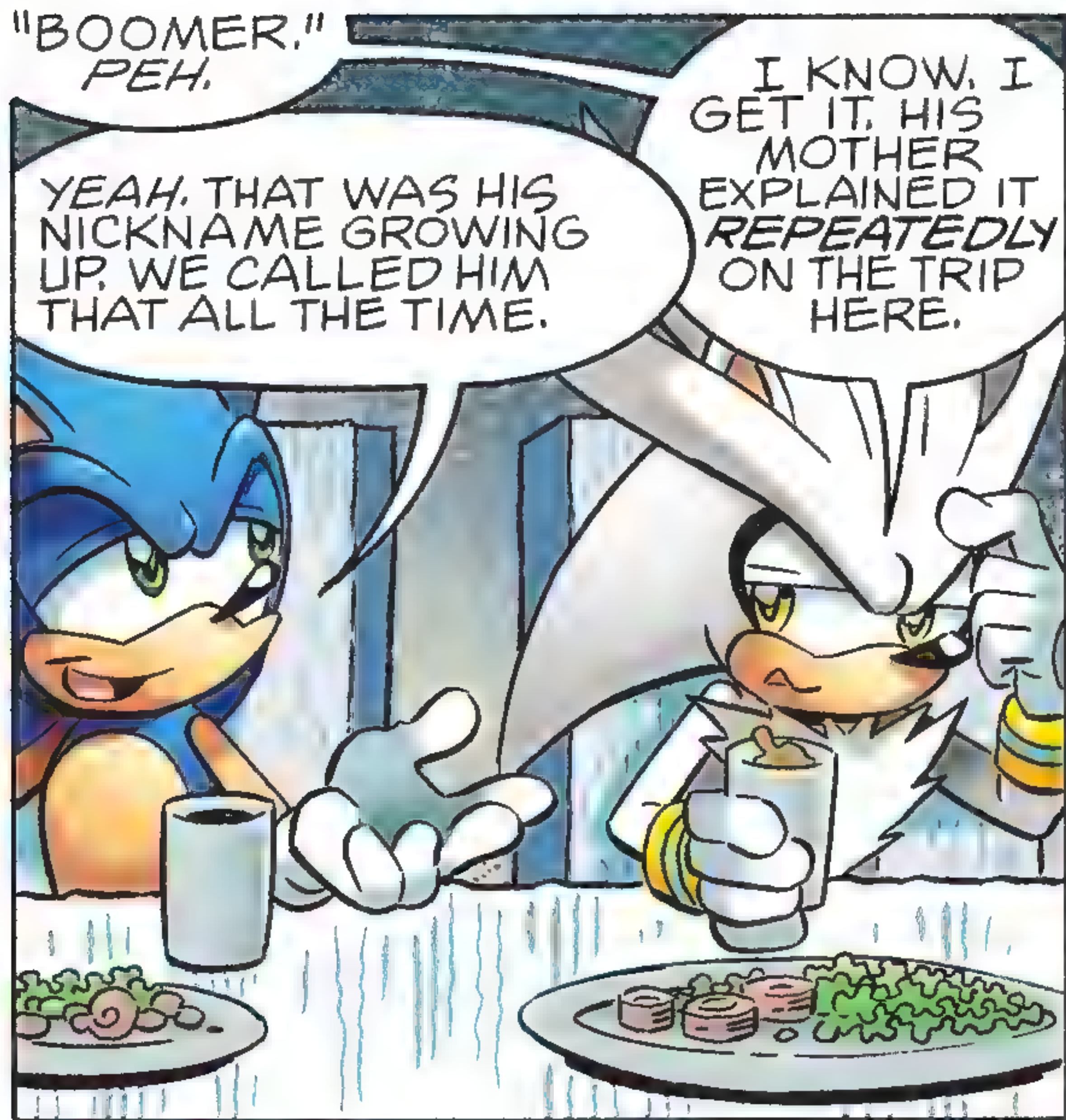
IF THEIR SONAR WAS
LINKED TO THAT
PSIONIC AMPLIFIER,
THEN SILVER'S
PSYCHIC WAVE MUST
HAVE HIT THEM
EXTRA HARD.

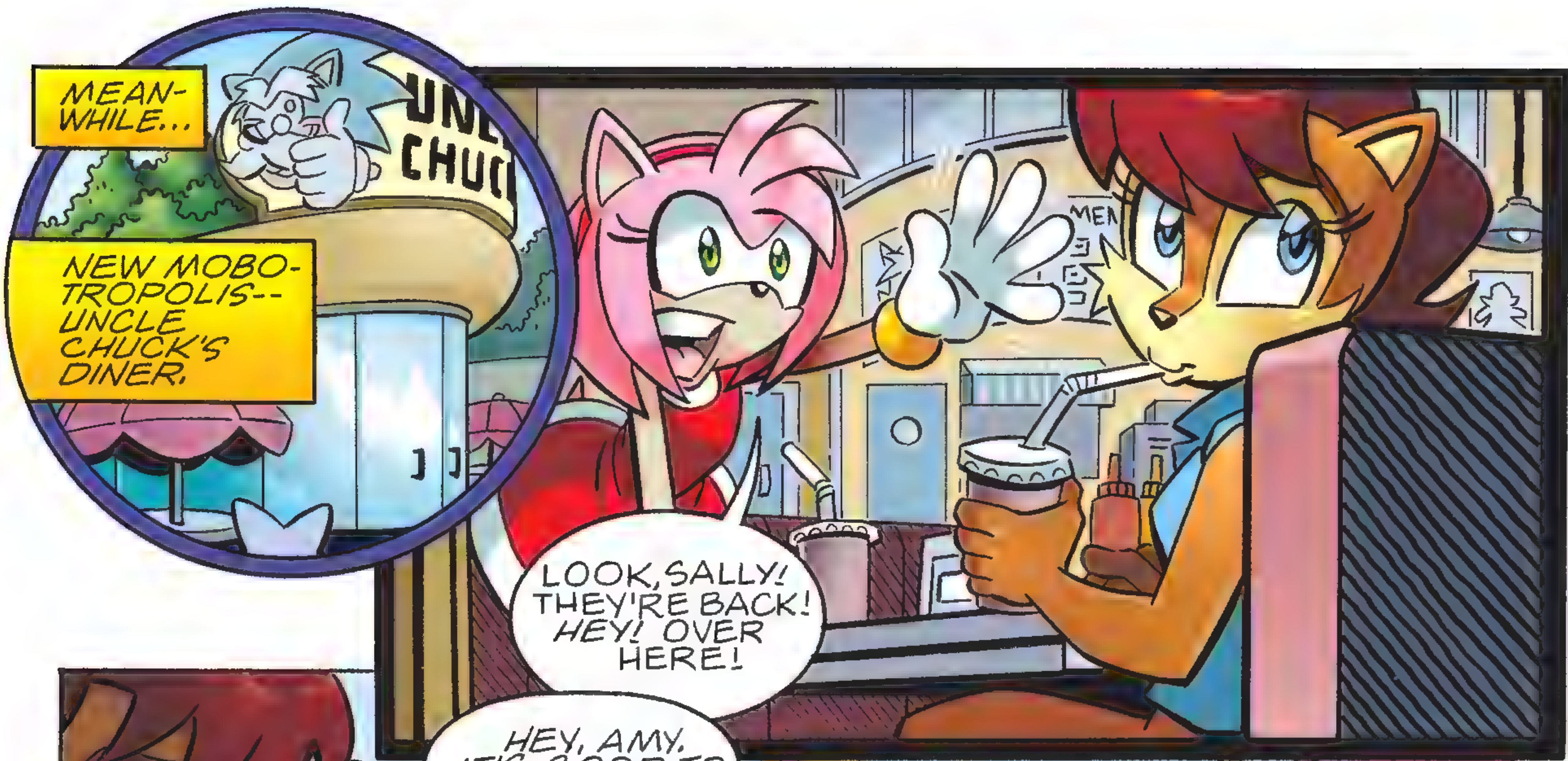
MY BRILLIANT
BOY, A FREEDOM
FIGHTER AT
HEART AND
HELPING TO RUN
MOBOTROPOLIS.
YOUR FATHER
WOULD BE SO
PROUD. I
KNOW I AM.

THANKS,
MOM.

YEAH-
AND-THAT-
ROBOT-
SUIT-WAS-
SO-COOL-
CAN-I-TRY-
IT-ON-
BOOMER
?!







LOOK, SALLY!
THEY'RE BACK!
HEY! OVER
HERE!

HEY, AMY,
IT'S GOOD TO
BE BACK!

TAILS!
DID EVERY-
THING
GO ALL
RIGHT...

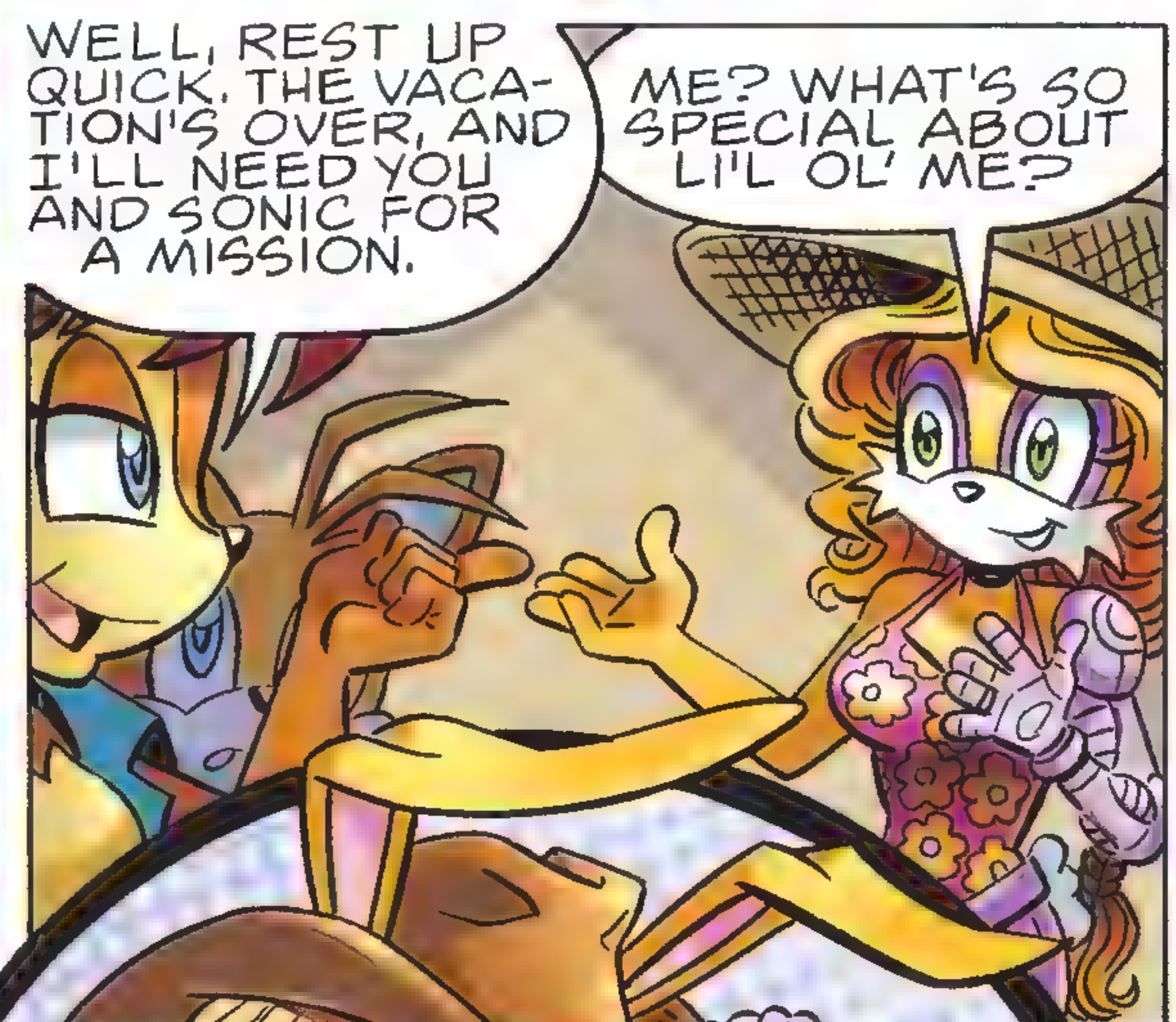
...ON
COCOA
ISLAND?



OH, IT WAS AN
ADVENTURE.*

I'LL
TELL YOU
LATER.

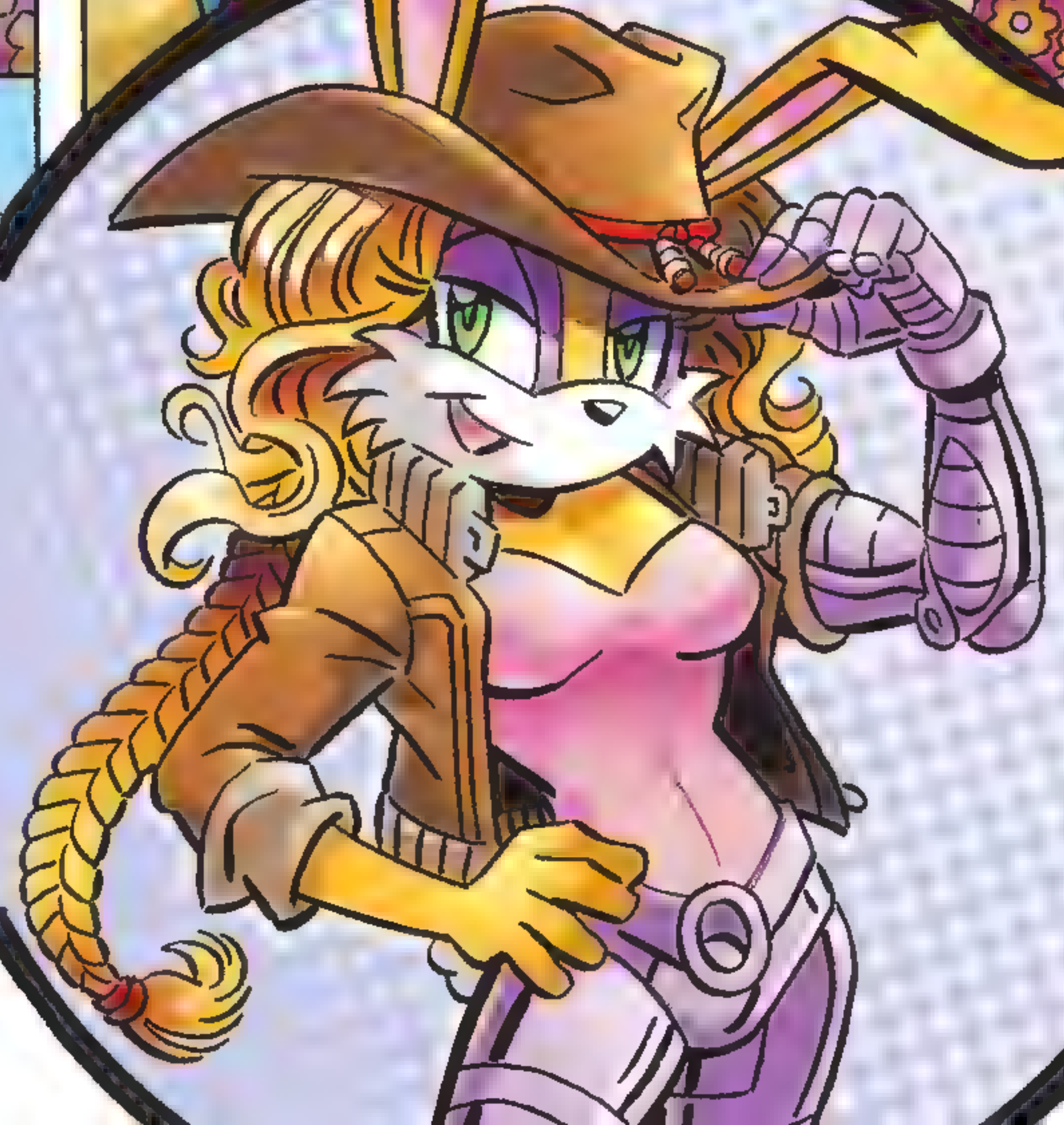
*DON'T MISS IT IN SONIC UNIVERSE
17 - 20: "THE TAILS ADVENTURE"!



WELL, REST UP
QUICK. THE VACA-
TION'S OVER, AND
I'LL NEED YOU
AND SONIC FOR
A MISSION.

ME? WHAT'S SO
SPECIAL ABOUT
LI'L OL' ME?

WHAT INDEED?
COME BACK NEXT TIME FOR
AN ALL-NEW ADVENTURE!
THERE WILL BE ACTION,
SURPRISE REVELATIONS,
AND RABBITS!
LOTS OF RABBITS!
COME BACK NEXT TIME FOR
"THICKER THAN WATER!"



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200 YEARS
FROM NOW...

ONYX
ISLAND.

FUTURE TENSE

PART TWO

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DING!

...WELL, THAT WAS
EMBARRASSING...

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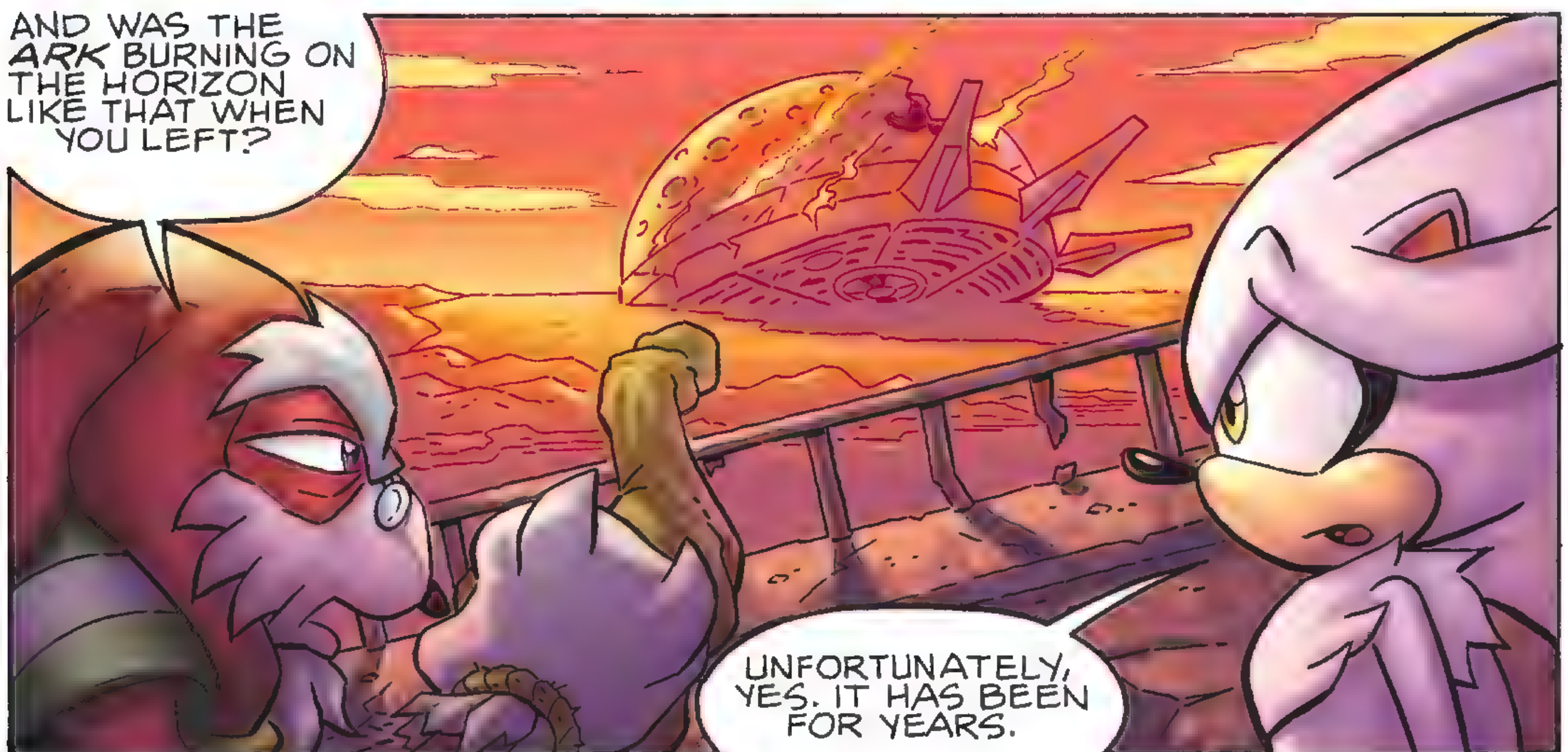
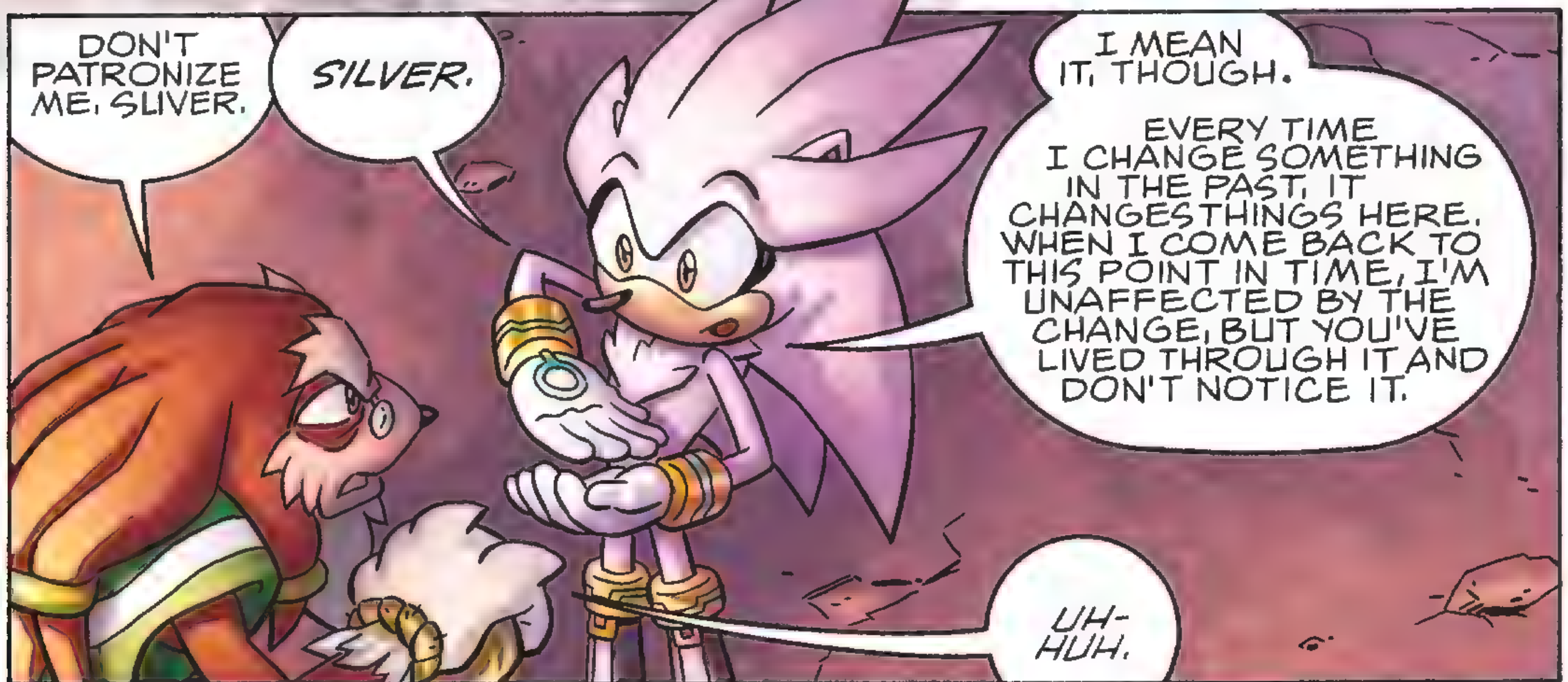
I WAS WRONG
ABOUT THE
TRAITOR. AGAIN.
IN FRONT OF HIS
MOTHER, NO
LESS...

FVNOOVD

GOOD
AFTERNOON,
GUARDIAN
EDMUND.
IT'S ME...
SILVER.

SILVER?
SILVER...
HMM...

WHO'S
THAT?
WHO'S
COME
TO MY
ISLAND?





AND I SUPPOSE YOU REMEMBER THE GREAT KRUDZU SPORE?

NO, THAT'S NEW TO ME.

REALLY?



TOO BAD, YOU WERE QUITE THE MARVEL WHEN YOU DESTROYED THE ROOT.

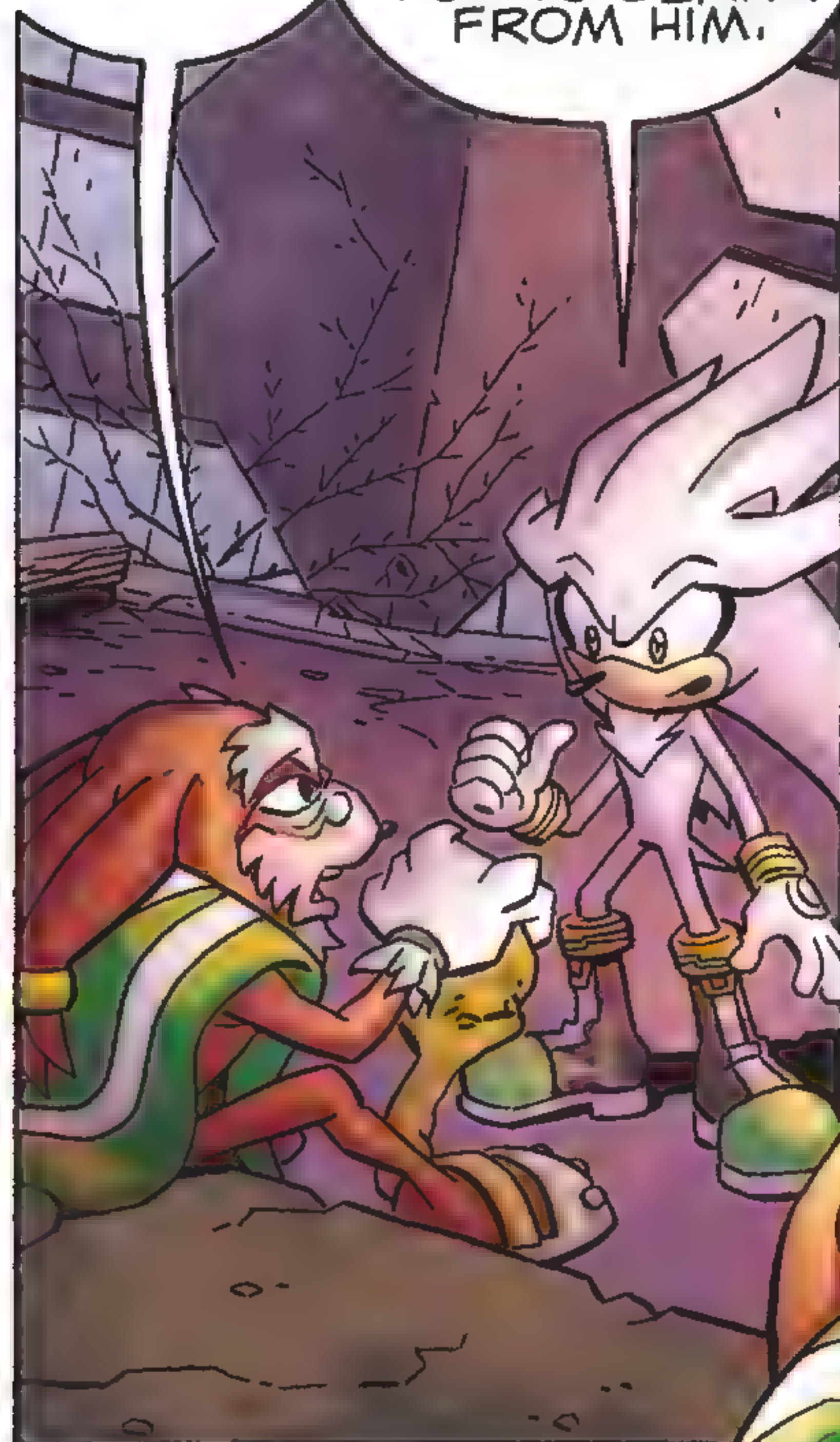
I WAS?

HEH HEH-- WHAT CAN I SAY?

TIME TRAVEL.

ARE YOU STILL--
HRMPH!--
WORKING FOR THAT SAD SACK OF LIES?

MY *MASTER* TAUGHT ME HOW TO USE MY POWERS. I STILL HAVE A LOT TO LEARN FROM HIM.



I DON'T LIKE THE IDEA OF HIM TEACHING YOU ANYTHING. THAT ASIDE, DO YOU THINK HE NOTICED YOU LEFT?

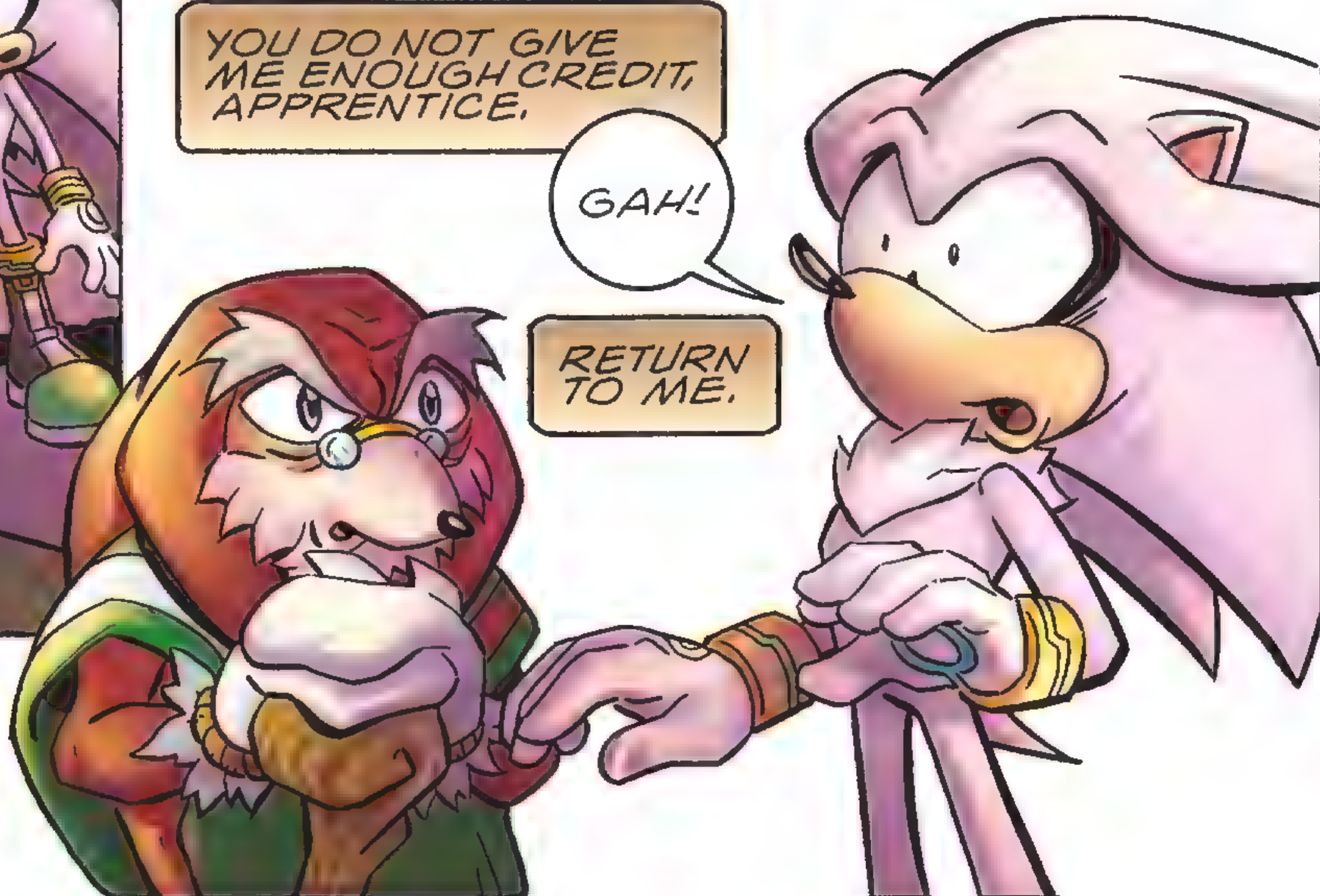
I'M HOPING NOT...



YOU DO NOT GIVE ME ENOUGH CREDIT, APPRENTICE.

GAH!

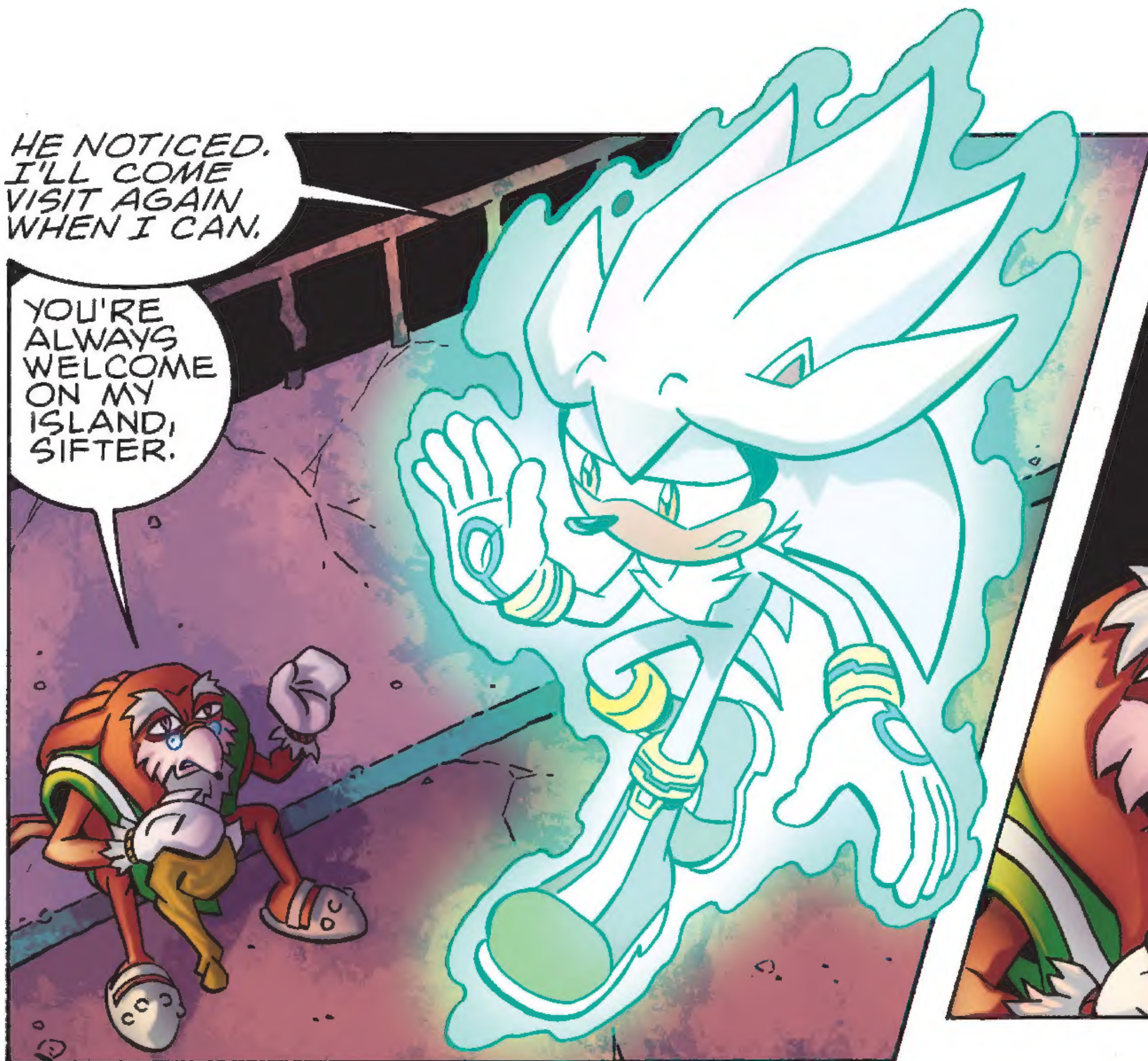
RETURN TO ME.



HE NOTICED.
I'LL COME
VISIT AGAIN
WHEN I CAN.

YOU'RE
ALWAYS
WELCOME
ON MY
ISLAND,
SIFTER.

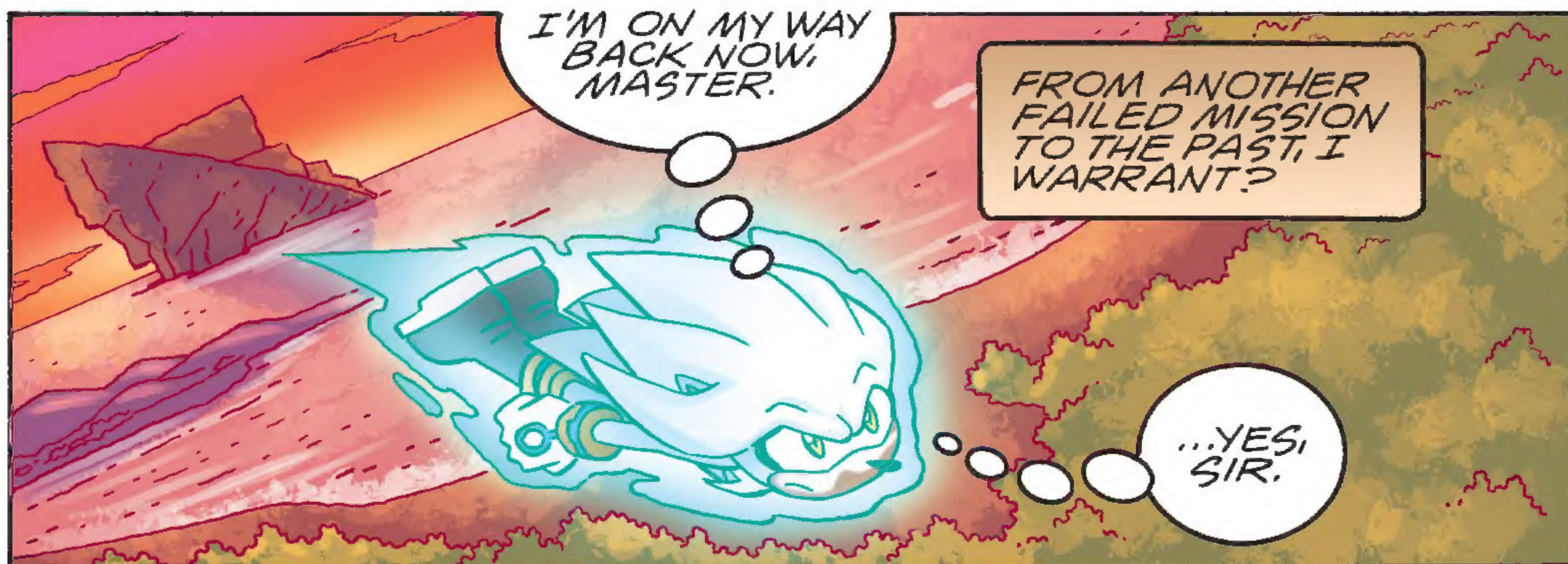
...MAYBE THIS
FAILED
GUARDIAN CAN
TEACH YOU
SOMETHING YET.



I'M ON MY WAY
BACK NOW,
MASTER.

FROM ANOTHER
FAILED MISSION
TO THE PAST, I
WARRANT?

...YES,
SIR.

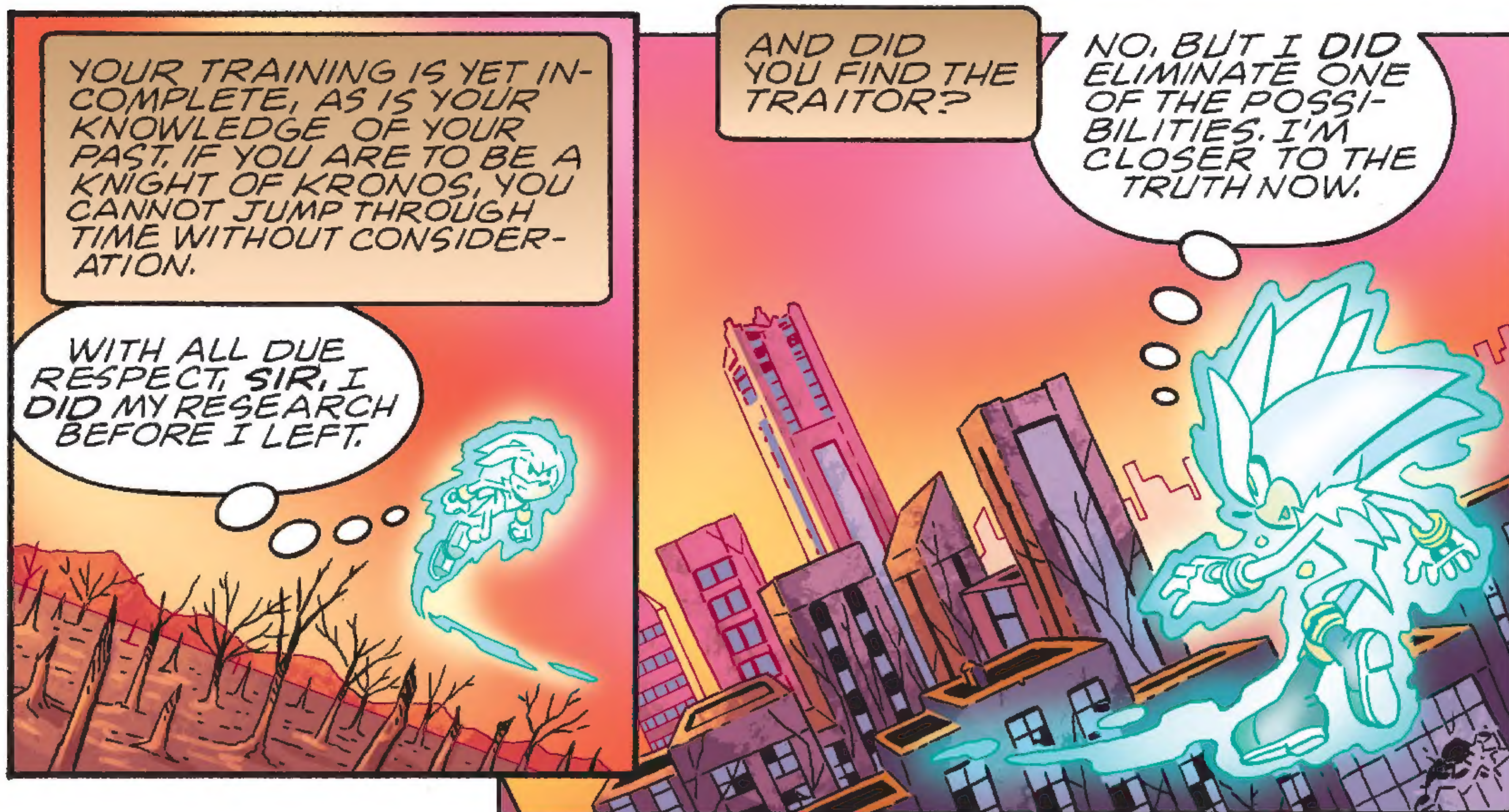


YOUR TRAINING IS YET IN-
COMPLETE, AS IS YOUR
KNOWLEDGE OF YOUR
PAST. IF YOU ARE TO BE A
KNIGHT OF KRONOS, YOU
CANNOT JUMP THROUGH
TIME WITHOUT CONSIDER-
ATION.

WITH ALL DUE
RESPECT, SIR, I
DID MY RESEARCH
BEFORE I LEFT.

AND DID
YOU FIND THE
TRAITOR?

NO, BUT I DID
ELIMINATE ONE
OF THE POSSI-
BILITIES. I'M
CLOSER TO THE
TRUTH NOW.



AH, "THE TRUTH." CAN WE TRULY ASCERTAIN WHAT "THE TRUTH" IS? IF IT IS AS WE PERCEIVE IT, AND IF OUR PERCEPTIONS ARE INHERENTLY BIASED, IS "THE TRUTH" ITSELF ETERNALLY MALLEABLE?

YOU'VE LOST ME, SIR. AM I STILL GETTING YELLED AT?

I DO NOT YELL, CHILD. I MERELY CHASTISE. YOU ARE GIFTED WITH IMMEASURABLE POWER, AND I WISH ONLY TO SAVE YOU FROM MAKING THE SAME MISTAKES I MADE IN THE PAST.

IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE SOMEONE AS WISE AS YOU COULD MAKE MISTAKES, SIR.

PREPARE US DINNER FOR THE EVENING, AND WE SHALL REFLECT UPON YOUR LATEST ADVENTURE.

RIGHT AWAY...

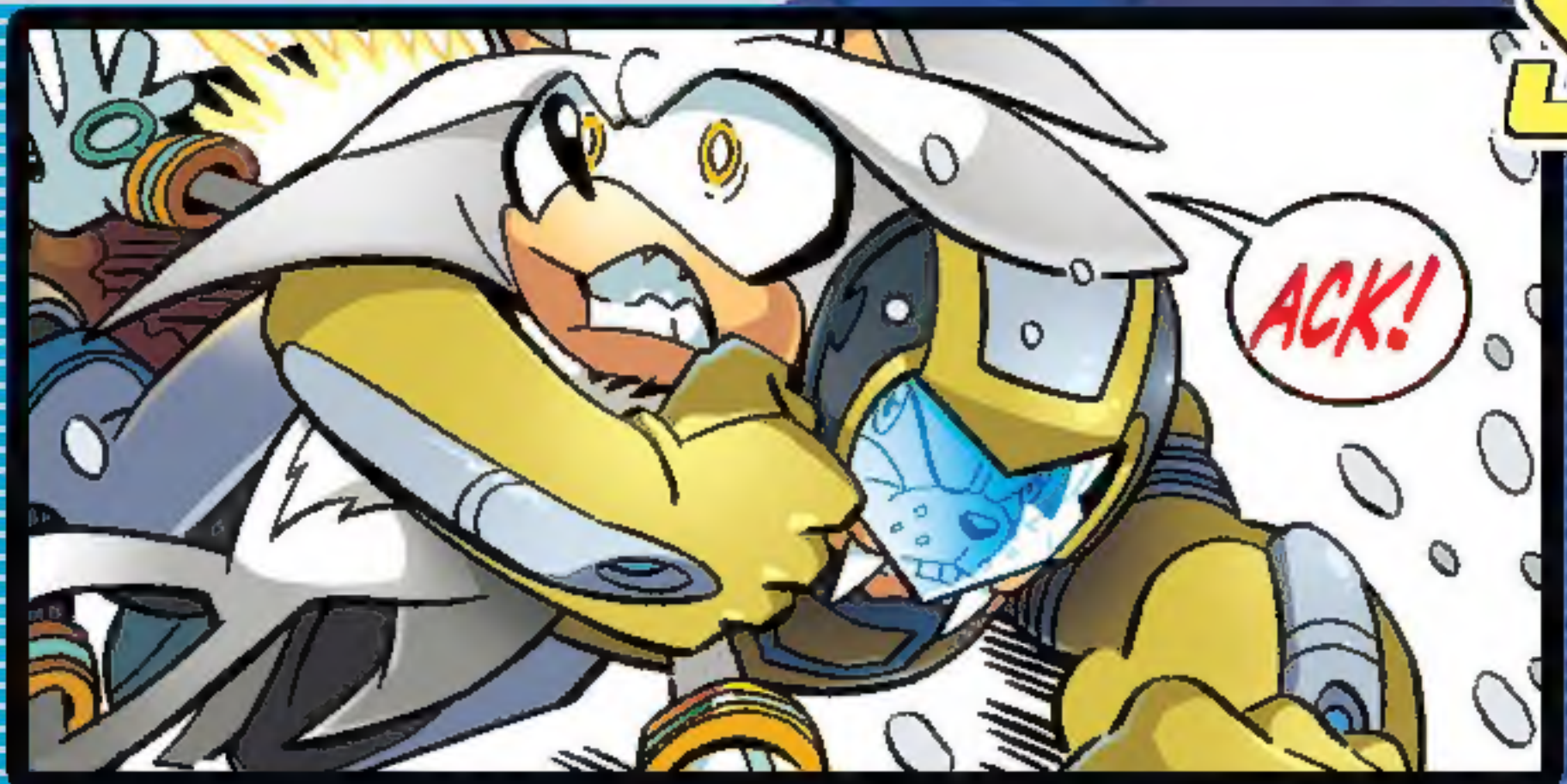
I MADE MANY, AND MOST OF THEM DIRE, I AM SAD TO SAY.

I STILL DON'T BELIEVE IT. CAN WE GO BACK TO TALKING NOW? I'M NO GOOD WITH TELEPATHY, AND I'VE GOT A HEADACHE...

OF COURSE, OF COURSE.

...MAMMOTH MOGUL.

THE
END



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I EAT HEDGEHOGS
4 BREAKFAST

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Bumbleking
forums

FAN FUNNIES!

ENTER: SILVER



by Marlon L. from Florida

HEY, KIDS!

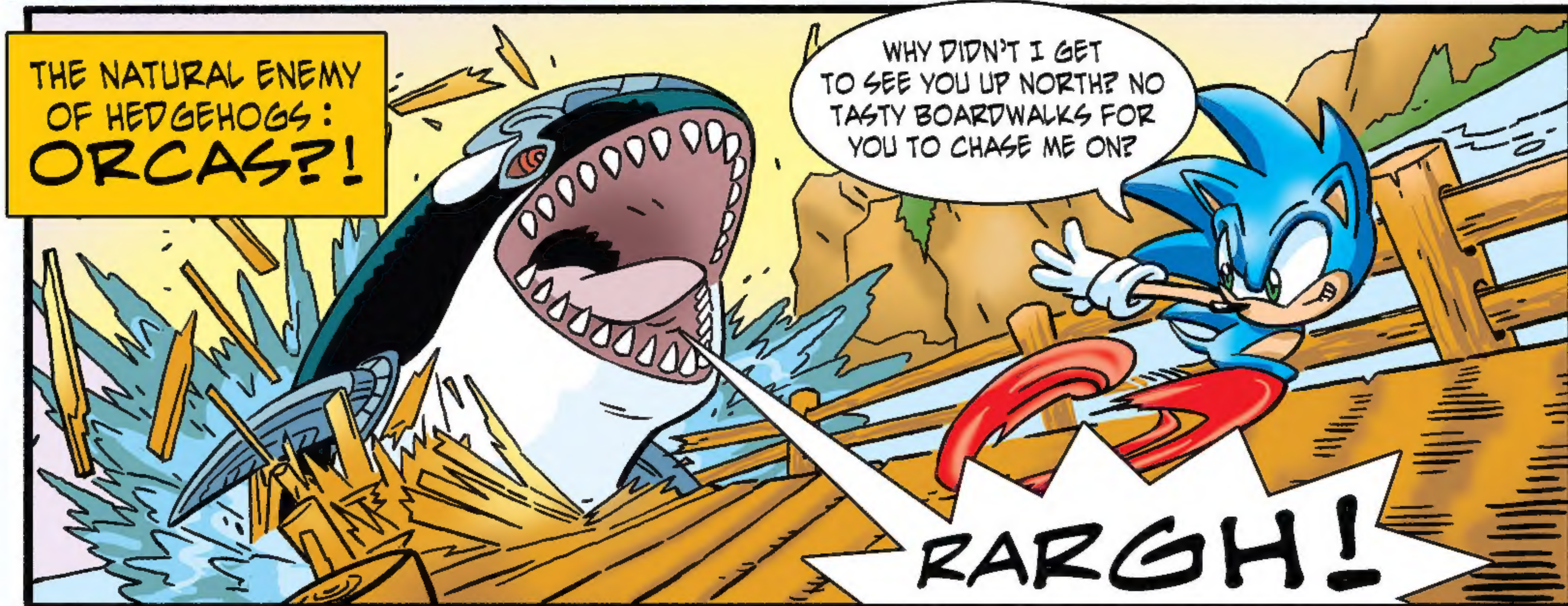
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Dear Sonic Grams,
I realized that it's been over three years since my sister and I started reading Sonic the Hedgehog!

One more year and you'll have earned yourself a Bachelor's Degree in awesomeness!

Whenever I get a comic in the mail I read it immediately! XD

I do the same thing! ...I also run around screaming "It's new Sonic day! It's new Sonic day! ...though I probably should keep that to myself..."

I started organizing my comics by number. I have a couple gaps at the beginning, but once my sister and I are rich & semi-famous, we'll get all the archives for our collection to be complete! I become inspired after reading every comic book to draw and create my own story - so thank you for being the ones who have sparked the artistic flame inside of me!

When you work around so much paper, flame-sparking becomes tricky business! Kids, leave the flame sparking to the professionals!

Sonic is not just entertaining, but teaches us lessons, ignites our creativity and makes us laugh too!

Thank you from the bottom of my heart,
Zoe K.
from California

Thank YOU, Zoe! It's letters like these and fans like you who make creating Sonic comics such a pleasure!

Dear Sonic Grams,
I'd like you to give SILVER THE HEDGEHOG a mini-series! Silver can beat Sonic! I LOOOOOVE SILVER!!!!

Silver's #1 fan,
Joey B.
from Oregon

Wait, do you like Silver? I couldn't tell...

Dear Sonic Grams,
Go team Sonic/ Amy and team Sally/ Monkey Khan!

Rah! Rah! Rah!

I've got QUESTIONS:
1) Does Amy have a super form?

If she does, I'm sure it is terrifying.

2) Are the Sonic Archives going to be drawn like the current comics?

The Sonic Archives Graphic Novel series (which you should all run out and buy ::cough::) collects past issues of Sonic the Hedgehog, so any art you see in there (beyond the digitally re-mastered colors) is in its original form.

3) Any plans for anti-Fiona?

Ah, Fiona's Moebian counter-part, eh? No plans at the moment - but sweet idea!

Hope you can

answer these!

Team Sonic/Amy
4 life,
Rick J.

from North Carolina

Thanks for the letter, Rick!

Dear Sonic Grams,
I'm Sam, a home-schooled kid - which means my mom teaches me. It's awesome!

Sweet! No smelly school buses for you!

I began reading Sonic at issue #12, then after that I got issue #203! You've got more than 200 Sonic comics! WOW! I'm interested in reading Sonic Universe now, but I have a question about it. Why make different Sonic titles like Sonic the Hedgehog, Sonic Universe, Sonic X and others??!

While Sonic the Hedgehog follows the Blue Blur's adventures, Sonic Universe allows us to see places we've never seen before and expand on the stories and characters that fans have been clamoring for!

Keep up the good work!

Sam M.
from Washington

Thanks for the letter, Sam! Don't forget to write in to "My Sonic Universe" & let us know how you're liking things!

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BETTER HOLD YOUR BREATH!

WHEN THE SAND BLASTERS COME A-CALLIN', SONIC & BUNNIE DISCOVER THAT BLOOD IS...

"THICKER THAN WATER" pt1 (OF 2)
ON SALE THE WEEK OF 10/05/10

NEXT SONIC UNIVERSE: 20



THIS IS IT!!!

THE EPIC FINALE!

...AND IT'S GONNA BE A DOOZY!

IT'S **"TROUBLE IN PARADISE" part 4**
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